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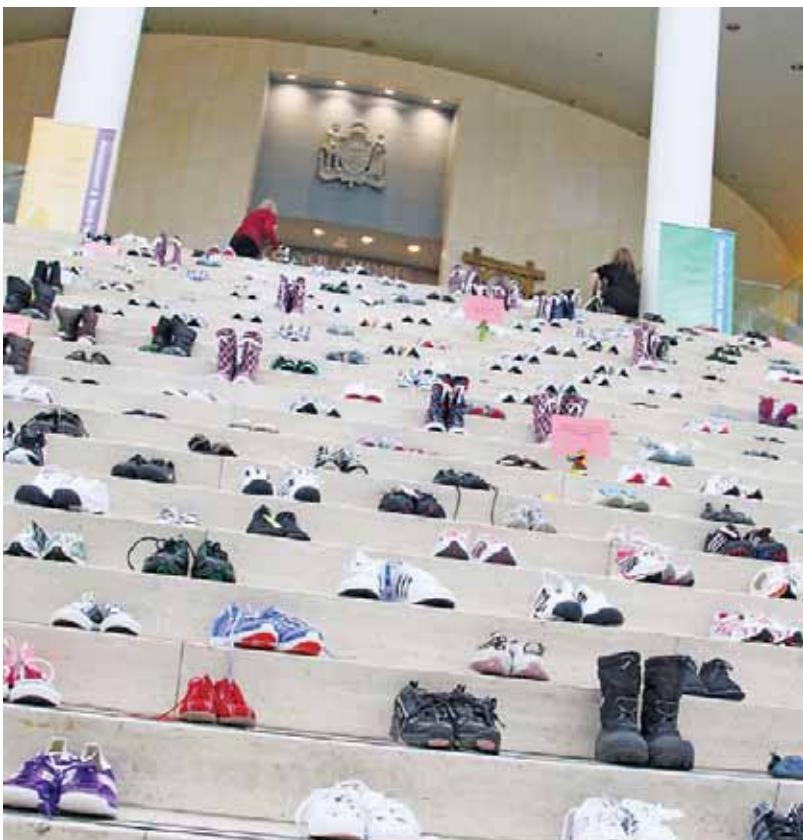


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## A WALK IN THEIR SHOES

The 509 pairs of shoes placed on city hall stairs serve as a reminder of the 509 children who called the WIN House shelter home at least once over the past year. Family Violence Prevention Month kicked off in Edmonton on Thursday. See story on page 6. RYAN TUMILTY/METRO

# Mom angry that sexual-assault charges dropped

**Daughter allegedly abused.** Shortage of prosecutors reportedly played a role in decision

An Alberta mother says a flaw in the legal system led to charges being dropped against a man alleged to have sexually assaulted her daughter over a span of eight years.

The 49-year-old woman, who cannot be named to protect the identity of her daughter, was informed of the Crown's decision to drop the charges last month, because of long delays.

"This is crazy," she said.

"If there's a problem with the courts not having room in them or not enough Crown prosecutors, it should be changed."

Wildrose MLA Rob Anderson, who represents the mother's constituency, detailed the case during a heated question period on Thursday.

The young woman, now 27, is alleged to have been sexually assaulted by a person in a position of trust from the age of nine until 17. She came forward six years later and charges were laid in September 2009.

Although a trial date was scheduled for this month after a series of delays, the Crown prosecutor told the family he wouldn't oppose a defence mo-

tion to drop the charges, the mother said.

Anderson told the legislature the sexual-assault charges were thrown out because of a shortage of Crown prosecutors.

"I want to know what kind of pathetic excuse for a justice system charges an individual for violating an innocent girl for eight years and then denies that victim her day in court?" he asked Premier Alison Redford.

Redford said the government would review the case.

"I do not actually believe this is an appropriate question to be raised in such a political manner. We have said we will look into the facts of this case," she said.

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## Cold wave

With the winter-festival season about to begin, the city has launched a campaign urging Edmontonians to get outside and embrace their inner polar bear

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## Wild-west weekend

The 39th Canadian Rodeo Finals kick off this weekend with country music, a livestock auction and chili cook-off PAGE 8

## Smoke screen

It's not just rock stars making cigarettes seem cool nowadays — health organizations are alarmed by new phone apps that promote smoking

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## Taking care of business. Crews tend to roads, hazards

The graders and plows went out Thursday as the city was hit with freezing rain and snow.

City of Edmonton crews hit the roads in the early morning, sanding bridges and hills, along with major roads, in a bid to break up the ice before the snow started to fall again.

"The freezing rain on the pavement and the snow on top can make for pretty difficult conditions," said Bob Dunford, the city's director of roadway maintenance.

The snow was enough to require city plows, which hit the streets late Thursday, but the city did not yet have plans for a parking ban.

Edmonton Police Service said that between 6 a.m. and noon there were 106 property-damage collisions and 10 injury collisions on city streets.

City spokesperson Lisa Sobchysyn said EPS members noted that Edmontonians adapted to winter driving conditions well, but that the morning commute was slow.

Police are asking people to allow for longer travelling times and to adjust speed to current road conditions.

The city's airport was also hit with bad weather and travellers were being encouraged to check flights before heading out.

"Every aircraft leaving the airport regardless of size is getting a full body spray de-icing," said Chris Chodan, a spokesperson for the Edmonton International Airport.

"It is definitely slowing things down."

RYAN TUMILTY/METRO



Pink hearts are being put up on windows across St. Paul after a minivan crashed into Racette Junior High School last week. FACEBOOK

# St. Paul honours crash victims with pink hearts

### Show of support.

Hearts spread across town on same day  
judge denies bail to man accused of  
crashing van into school

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Pink hearts are being displayed in homes, vehicles and businesses across St. Paul.

From kitchen windows to the garage doors of a car dealership, and dozens of Facebook

profile pages, the simple heart decals are bringing together the devastated small town.

Last week, Grade 6 student Megan Wolitski died, and two others were injured after a minivan crashed into a St. Paul school.

The idea to put a pink heart in windows came from several community members. Chamber of Commerce executive director Matisson Hannotte said they decided to help administer the project.

Hannotte said she e-mailed local businesses on Tuesday asking owners to print a heart and display it on their windows, to show respect for the

### Community

#### "The whole town is in on it."

Matisson Hannotte, Chamber of Commerce executive director

family and friends of those affected by the crash.

"It was amazing to see how many businesses participated that day," she said.

Soon, local homes and vehicles were also displaying pink hearts.

"The whole town is in on it," she said.

On Thursday, the chamber started selling the vinyl win-

dow stickers for \$5, with all proceeds to be split between the three affected families.

Hannotte said the decals bring a sense of comfort to the community of nearly 6,000.

"We can all see we're supporting each other just by having this simple symbol in our vehicles, homes or businesses," she said.

Meanwhile, on Thursday a judge denied bail to Richard Benson, the 46 year-old man accused of crashing his minivan into Racette Junior High School.

Benson is next set to appear in court Dec. 13.

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## Fact vs. Fiction



Winter is a season of fluctuating temperatures in Edmonton.

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## The truth about Edmonton's winter weather

The joke goes that winter in Edmonton lasts for eight months, and residents like to tell others they brave weeks of -30 C temperatures.

But none of that is really true.

According to Elena Lappo, meteorologist with The Weather Network, Edmonton's average high for December, January and February is -5.4 C and the low is -14.3 C. Average snowfall is 62.6 centimetres and rainfall is 3 millimetres.

"In January actually, the average minimum is -16 C," said Lappo. "So it's just that Edmonton does lie in that

area where it's very easy to get arctic outbreaks. And if you do get an arctic outbreak you will get into this really cold air with temperatures of -30, -40 C, but then you can also get some warmer spells coming from B.C. where the temperature will be fairly mild."

The city only experiences temperatures of -30 C a handful of times each winter, which means Edmonton's average numbers sit on par with other major cities in Canada.

In comparison across the country, Montreal's average high of -3.9 C and low of -12.7 C are most comparable to Edmonton, while snowfall in Calgary, Saskatoon (both 48.7 centimetres) and Winnipeg (57.1 centimetres) is most similar, said Lappo.

"It's just that Edmonton usually goes through pretty large temperature swings," she added. "That's just the climate of Edmonton." **HEATHER MCINTYRE/METRO**



## Twitter

Metro asked residents of #yeg what their favourite place to go or thing to do is during winter in Edmonton.

**@krissysmashmo**

I think Whyte Ave in the winter is just wonderful. So many pubs n music acts to see. Looking all snowy n bits... #yegwinter

**@IngridREC**

Running along a dark snowy path with my dogs and hubby and listening to the silence in our little creaky world- peaceful!

**@SnoochyBoochys**

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**@DesandLinzATBIS**

I enjoy curling at the ol' Granite Curling Club! Great sport when 80 somethings can beat 30 somethings #yeg #yegwinter

**@moremoreenough**

Always enjoyed playing "Let's Drink" during the winter months in Edmonton ~@metroedmonton ~Draw straws for the booze run. #yegwinter

**@kristimingo**

candy cane lane!

**@missmandygoble**

churchhill or the winter festival off white

What the Winter City Strategy aims to do is melt Edmontonians' cold feelings about winter into a love for the season. **HEATHER MCINTYRE/METRO**

# FINDING JOY IN YEG'S

### Implementation.

Pending budget approval, steps of the Winter City Strategy could move forward next year



**HEATHER MCINTYRE**  
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Growing up in Manitoba, Wanda Bornn always loved the outdoors — no matter what the weather.

"I remember as a kid going outside and laying in the middle of the front lawn in my

winter clothes, just watching the northern lights," said the producer of Edmonton's Ice on Whyte Festival.

The well-known ice carving festival isn't until January, but the snow has fallen, meaning the season Edmontonians seem to love to hate has arrived.

But there is a movement afoot to change the city's perception of winter.

For the Love of Winter, a strategy to turn Edmonton into a world-leading winter city, was released last month.

Ideas and goals include year-round patio and park use, better design of public

space, improved use of light and colour palettes when it comes to construction, and more. There is also a desire to increase capacity and sustainability of winter festivals.

"There is an excitement in the city that probably plays out better in summertime right now only because we invested in summer," said Coun. Ben Henderson, who co-chaired the think tank behind the strategy.

"If we want to attract the kind of people we need to attract here for the city to continue to prosper, then winter has to be just as exciting in its own way as summertime, and other cities

have shown us that is more than possible to do."

Bornn thinks that is the perfect place to start.

"I'd like for there to be something for families and visitors to do every weekend of the winter," she said. "Basically, what those organized activities do is they help to change the way people think about winter."

That attitudinal shift is key, said Henderson.

"We've stolen our ability to have joy in winter, because we tried to make it go away and pretend it didn't exist. That was a failed experiment."



# WINTER WONDERLAND

## Best fests

Edmonton has lots of winter festivals to keep you entertained during the cold winter months:

- **Mill Creek Adventure Walk.** Shimmering lights, music, fire and wild characters are seen during a winding January walk through the city's Mill Creek Ravine.
- **Silver Skate Festival.** The city's longest running winter festival is held

each February as an extravaganza of art, culture, recreation and sports programming.

- **Ice on Whyte Festival.** An international ice carving competition is the highlight of this January festival, which also includes workshops, children's activities and an infamous giant slide.
- **Deep Freeze Winter Festival.** The Byzantine winter

festival held in early January brings Ukrainian, Franco-Albertan, Franco-African, First Nations and South American communities together through authentic food and cultural activities.

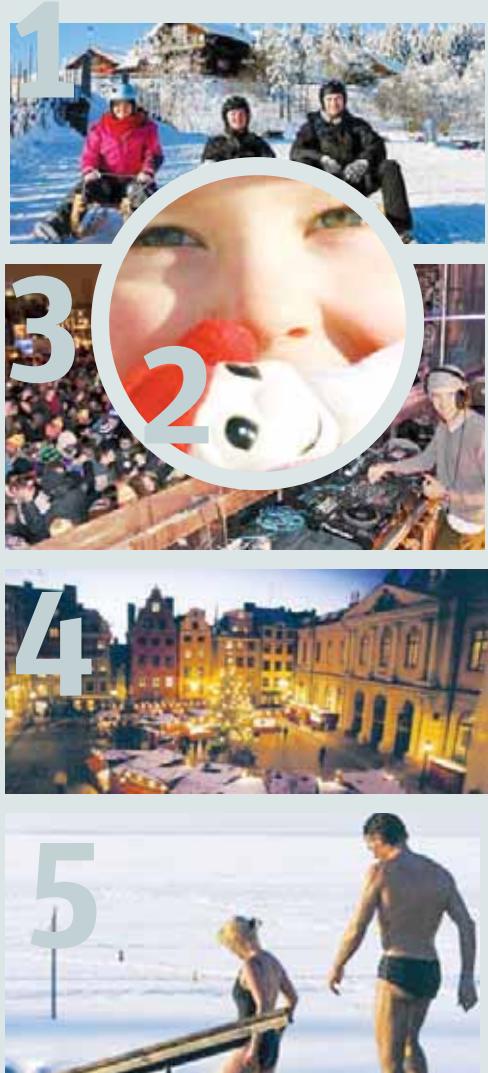
- **Canadian Birkebeiner Cross Country Ski Festival.** The country's largest classical-format cross-country ski festival runs each February, with events for all ages and

abilities, as well as a Vikings' Feast.

- **illumiNITE.** In late February from sundown one day until sundown the next, a light sculpture competition takes place in the Alley of Light downtown, as well as in Beaver Hills Park.

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## The world's winter cities



**1 Oslo, Norway.** One of the city's winter highlights is its most popular toboggan run, Korketrekkeren. Two-thousand metres long and has an elevation drop of 255 metres, it begins at Frognerstuen and ends at the Midstuen metro station. A full run at non-stop full speed takes between eight and 10 minutes.

**2 Quebec City, Quebec.** Each February, Quebec City hosts The Quebec Winter Carnival, featuring snow baths, night parades, snow slides, giant foosball, and more. The city is also home to North America's only hotel, Hotel de Glace, open from January to March.

**3 Montreal, Quebec.** Three weekends in January are taken over by Igloofest, where homegrown and international DJs play amongst ice sculptures and a light show. Don't forget to try some caribou — a mix of whisky and maple syrup!

**4 Stockholm, Sweden.** Stockholm's Galma Stan (Old Town) has an outdoor market with rows of stalls filled with handcrafted and homemade toys and food just in time for the Christmas shopping season. There is also a market at Skansen, the world's oldest open-air museum.

**5 Helsinki, Finland.** Many homes in cities and towns throughout Finland have saunas in them, and it is popular to sit in the sauna, and then run and jump straight into frozen seawater. Called avautouti (or the Polar Bear Plunge), this activity is said to have medical benefits. In the country's capital of Helsinki, ice swimming can be tried at the Kuusijarvi Recreation Centre located in Vantaa.

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## Numerous problems

**Auditor general urges better inspection of province's bridges**

Alberta's auditor general says while the province's bridges are not falling down, officials could be doing a better job inspecting them.

In his latest report, Merwan Saher says they found numerous problems with how Alberta's 4,400 bridge structures are maintained.

Saher says some inspections are not being done in a timely manner, there is a lack of adequate certification and there are problems with the contracting process.

Saher also urges

Premier Alison Redford's government to do a better job reporting the results and costs incurred in meeting climate change targets.

He added that the Department of Energy needs better systems in place to ensure that proper numbers are reported in royalty reduction programs.

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## Break-ins

**Police searching for burglar in central Edmonton**

Edmonton police are warning residents to make sure their homes are secure after a series of central Edmonton home break-ins.

Police believe the same person broke into 11 homes

in the Delton, Eastwood and Virginia Park neighborhoods since Oct. 9.

All break-ins occurred during the day, and police say jewelry, electronics and cash were taken.

The suspect is described as a Caucasian man, about 30 years of age, who is 5'8 with a slim build. He has been seen with a backpack, wearing a ball cap and riding a mountain bike. METRO

**U of A. Students to host safe cycling forum**

Riding past a white ghost bike on Whyte Avenue, which marks the spot where 21-year-old Issak Kornelsen was killed in late August while cycling, inspired Aviva Samson.

"It's an avoidable tragedy and action can be taken so it doesn't happen again," said Samson.

Samson, a University of Alberta graduate student, and several of her peers from the school of public health started a group called Campus 2 Campus (C2C), following Kornelsen's tragic death.

The coalition advocates for safe cycling infrastructure between the university's campuses.

On Friday, C2C will host a public forum featuring a city councillor, a doctor, an avid cyclist and others, who will speak about safe bike transport on Whyte Avenue.

The group believes future fatalities and injuries could be avoided through the creation of safe, dedicated bike lanes on Whyte Avenue.

Samson said today's event, which takes place in the Student Union Building's Alumni Room at 1 p.m., is meant to rally student support for the issue of safe cycling infrastructure and mobilize them into productive action to prevent future cycling fatalities.

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WIN House executive director Janine Fraser speaks, in front of 509 pairs of shoes, at the opening of family violence prevention month on Thursday. Each pair of shoes represents one child who has stayed at WIN House in the last year.

RYAN TUMILTY/METRO



A ghost bike on Whyte Avenue marks the spot where Issak Kornelsen was killed in August. RYAN TUMILTY/METRO

# Edmonton launches family violence prevention month

**Domestic abuse.**

Annual campaign to focus on the impact of violence on children

**RYAN TUMILTY**

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Family violence prevention month launched in Edmonton Thursday with a vivid reminder of the far-reaching impacts.

There were 509 pairs of shoes on the City Hall staircases as a reminder of the 509 children who called the WIN House shelter home at least once during the last year.

Human Services minister Dave Hancock said family violence breaks a bond of trust between people.

"Violence in all of its forms is unacceptable, but one of the worst kinds of violence is that which happens in a relationship of trust," said Hancock.

Edmonton councillor Linda Sloan encouraged people at Thursday's launch to speak out about domestic violence and confront the issue.

"Even when it makes us

**Safe haven**

WIN House has been in operation since 1968 and has 70 shelter beds for women and children fleeing domestic violence.

- **Eskimos.** The Edmonton Eskimos donated all of the shoes used during the launch event in partnership with Reebok and Adidas.
- **Info.** Information and resources are available province-wide by calling the Family Violence Information Line 310-1811.

uncomfortable we need to talk about it, and we need to listen," said Sloan.

This year's theme focuses on children with the message "Our choices their future."

Janine Fraser, executive director of WIN House, said they wanted this year's campaign to emphasize the impact family violence has on children even when they are not the direct victim.

"Over half of our clients are children and the majority of them are preschool age," Fraser told the crowd.

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# 5 ways to get country in the city

Edmonton is gearing up for the 39th Canadian Finals Rodeo next week. Check out Metro Nov. 7 for an in-depth look at all of the festivities.

In the meantime, here are ways to join the kickoff fun this weekend:

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## 22nd annual Chili Cook Off

Top chefs and local foodies from throughout the city will compete for the Ultimate Chili title in what will be the 22nd annual event on Friday.

Bowls are \$2 each, and the dishes are cooked, served and can be eaten inside a heated tent in Churchill Square.

The event runs from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., and kicks off River City Round Up, which runs for 10 days.

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## TGIF on the Square

After you have filled your belly fully of delicious chili (and taken a rest), head back to Churchill Square to take part in a Friday night rodeo celebration.

From 4:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m., enjoy food from one of the many food trucks that will be on site, or simply enjoy the entertainment.

CCMA nominee and Edmonton native Shane Chisholm will perform at 6:30 p.m.

There will also be a country saloon/beer garden open, called Buckle on the Square.

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## River City Roundup Kick-off Celebration

Saturday is jam-packed with activities at Churchill Square.

From 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. enjoy a free George Canyon concert, Youth Western Art Showcase, beer gardens, a heated tent with hot beverages courtesy of the Kids in the Hall Bistro, educational programming for kids through The Barnyard in the Square, free children's activities at the Cowpoke Corral, a branding station to personalize free souvenirs, Traditional Harvest (First Nations/Metis area demonstrating hand crafts and techniques), and a fireworks grand finale.

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## Farmfair International

Everything from a western marketplace to a mounted shooters competition is in store for both rural and urban Albertans at this year's Farmfair International, which opens at the Edmonton Expo Centre on Sunday.

There is also the buying and selling of livestock, a Buckle BBQ, and Kids' Country, where cowboys and cowgirls in training get tips.

The Heritage Ranch Rodeo also begins Sunday, wrapping up on Tuesday.

For more details, visit [farmfair.ca](http://farmfair.ca).

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## Live at the Winspear

Vancouver's Dan Mangan and Toronto's Rural Alberta Advantage make their Winspear Centre debut on Monday, playing a special double bill during the River City Round Up as part of the Live at the Winspear series.

The indie rock show starts at 8 p.m., and tickets are available at [winspearcentre.com](http://winspearcentre.com) or by calling the Winspear box office at 780-428-1414.

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# Greeks build a better future

**Greece.** Cash-free communities take off while country's economy collapses

 **KIERON MONKS**  
Metro World News

The early-morning peace is shattered by the sound of Pan's saw biting through wooden planks as he constructs a new table. "There are no rules," he says, "but we all have jobs. We're not here to screw around."

On the beautiful Greek island of Evia in the foothills of Mount Telaithrion, former programmer Pan, 29, and seven friends who connected through Internet forums have established the country's "first eco-community."

It is an effort to live sustainably and outside mainstream Greek society, which is struggling through the worst economic crisis in memory. While poverty and violence sweep through Athens, the members of the Free and Real team wake up to sunshine each day, ready to work on their own terms.

Economist Yannis Ioannides of Tufts University in Massachusetts believes a retreat to rural life provides a "safety net" for young people.

"At least they can protect themselves against the market by dropping out of it," he told Metro.

"It's not a solution to the crisis — it's a solution for us," says Dionysis, 30, a chemist who gave up his life in Athens and closed his bank account, vowing to never return.

On Evia, the essentials of life are self-produced, from the organic farm food to the com-



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post toilet, the furniture to the Mongolian-style yurts.

The cross-section of skills makes it possible to live almost completely cash-free, with a professional-standard carpenter, chemist and IT technician among the group and new skills imported through the steady supply of volunteers who pitch in.

"The long-term goal is an eco-network of alternative living projects. We want what we do to be copied and evolved — we don't own this," says Pan. He believes the crisis has sparked interest in such

## Quoted

**"The idea is to be locally grounded but globally interconnected ... With this software, one day money will not be needed."**

Christos Papaioannou, founder of the TEMs currency

projects — "new ones are appearing all the time" — and travels to eco-festivals to share and develop techniques.

Despite the traditional

farming, the group uses cutting-edge technology, creating 3-D models of construction projects before building them, ahead of switching to a new site on the mountain complete with geodesic domes and an advanced permaculture farm.

There is little political ideology behind it; no one believes in climate change and the philosophy is "do what works for you."

A ferry ride north to the mainland town of Volos reveals a different sustainability model, where residents have established a barter economy using alternative currency "TEMs" instead of Euros.

At the local market, people exchange everything from lemonade to massages.

So far at least three more Greek towns have adopted the model.

## Potato movement

With salaries slashed and unemployment rising, co-operatives in Greece have presented a popular solution to feed the hungry.

- One of the most successful has been the "potato movement" with farmers selling direct to the public without suppliers, supermarkets or handling costs.

- The public benefits from wholesale rates — an advantage that has seen thousands sign up to the scheme.

- In Exarchia, Athens, local activists have taken over an abandoned building



Food aid is distributed to homeless immigrants in Psirri on June 12 in Athens.

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## The walking dead. Passed out 'zombie' gets DUI charge

Police were called to what looked like a woman shot dead in her car but found a Halloween reveller they described as drunk and passed out in a bloody-looking zombie costume.

The news site al.com reports that a passerby called police in Birmingham, Ala., on Thursday morning after seeing the woman slumped over her steering wheel at a traffic light.

Police say officers roused the woman and removed her from the vehicle. Authorities say she was handcuffed and taken to the city jail on a driving under the influence of alcohol charge.

A photo of the woman by al.com showed fake blood covering much of her torso as she was apprehended. Details on her identity weren't immediately available.

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## Trick-or-trouble. U.K. man hands out cocaine to kids instead of candy

British police say a man has been charged with a drug offence after children were given bags of cocaine instead of candy during Halloween trick-or-treating.

Greater Manchester Police says officers were called after children in the town of Royton in northwest England reported finding sachets of white powder in their Halloween bags. Tests confirmed that the substance was cocaine.

Police say 23-year-old Donald Junior Green was charged Thursday with possession of drugs. A woman was arrested but released without being charged.

Police say they believe it was an isolated incident and that it appeared that the man's drugs were given to the children accidentally. None of the children consumed the cocaine.

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## Campus shooting. USC: One person critical, three injured

Two men have been arrested for the Halloween shooting of four people on the University of Southern California campus.

USC Department of Public Safety Capt. David Carlisle says an argument between two men not tied to the school led to one of them pulling out a gun and shooting another person shortly before midnight.

About 100 people had gathered for a party hosted by a student organization. One man was shot several times and critically wounded. Three bystanders had non-life-threatening injuries. The Los Angeles Times reports USC sent a text alert telling students to stay inside.

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# Halloween tragedy in Spanish nightclub



A mannequin's head, bottles and other debris lie in the Madrid Arena parking lot in Madrid on Thursday. A fireworks scare led to pandemonium inside, killing three women and critically injuring two. PAUL WHITE/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

**Madrid.** Three women killed and two critically injured after being crushed by concert-goers fleeing an explosion set off by a firework

A stampede in an arena where thousands of people were attending a Halloween dance party killed

three women and critically injured two others early Thursday, officials said.

It happened just after 4 a.m. in a passageway within the venue leading to the central concert area at Madrid Arena, where the disco-style party with American DJ Steve Aoki was under way.

Someone set off a flare or a firework, causing the stampede that trampled the five young women, Deputy Mayor Miguel Angel Villanueva said.

One witness said the stampede left partygoers piled atop one another as high as her shoulders.

"I saw a mass of people screaming, 'Help, get me

out of here,' with security guards tugging at them," Ana Gomez told state broadcaster TVE. "I remember seeing the face of one young man, and his expression was that of sheer terror."

Thousands of people were attending the party when the stampede occurred, leaving the victims with trauma injuries or breathing and heart failure, emergency-services spokesman Fernando Prado said.

Villanueva said the venue's maximum capacity of 10,600 people had not been exceeded and that authorities decided not to evacuate the arena when the accident occurred. Most

### Quoted

"I remember seeing the face of one young man, and his expression was that of sheer terror."

Ana Gomez, witness

partygoers were not aware of the stampede because it was confined to the passage, he said.

Halloween has recently become a popular festivity in Spain, coinciding with the traditional feast of All Saints.

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# Suspictions abound that Putin is injured

**Russia.** He avoids his Kremlin office, has cancelled foreign trips, and may have been hurt in recent publicity stunt with cranes

What ails Vladimir Putin? The Russian leader whose image of physical vigour is key to his success has cancelled several foreign trips in recent weeks, postponed his annual live televised question-and-answer session with average Russians, and has rarely left his suburban residence outside Moscow.

A respected Russian newspaper claimed Thursday that a publicity stunt during which Putin tried to lead cranes on their migratory paths in a motorized hang-glider aggravated an old injury.

Putin's office denies it was the flight with cranes, insists it is just a pulled muscle and spins the situation, saying that athletes often get banged up.

Besides, it says, Putin's avoiding the Kremlin office so he doesn't tie up Moscow traffic with his motorcade — something that hasn't seemed to trouble him during his previous 12 years in power. Putin celebrated his 60th birthday in early October. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

## Bosnian war

### Rape victims being ignored: Amnesty report

Amnesty International said Thursday it has urged authorities in Bosnia to provide adequate therapy and financial compensation to wartime rape victims and to prosecute their attackers.

Tens of thousands of women were raped during Bosnia's 1992-95 war involving the country's Bosniaks, Serbs and Croats.

Amnesty, which has called for such action in the past, said in its latest report that the rape victims, who live in the country's Serb-dominated mini-state of Bosnia, are being ignored by authorities. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**



Russian President Putin braces himself against his chair as he arrives at the APEC Summit in Vladivostok on Sept. 9. **JIM WATSON/POOL/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

## Secrecy lifted. Israel admits it was behind Arafat deputy's death

### The deceased

Abu Jihad founded the Palestine Liberation Organization with Arafat and was blamed for a series of deadly attacks against Israelis.

He was said to have masterminded a 1978 attack on a bus that killed 38 Israelis. Later, he organized the first Palestinian uprising against Israel in 1987.

Two of those involved in the operation now hold high political office — Defence Minister Ehud Barak and Vice Premier Moshe Yaalon. At the time, Barak was deputy military chief, and Yaalon was head of the Sayeret Matkal unit. Their precise roles in the operation were not divulged. Both men declined comment.

Israel has long been suspected of assassinating al-Wazir, better known as Abu Jihad. "I shot him with a long burst

of fire," commando Nahum Lev told a newspaper before his own death in a 2000 accident. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

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# Prime minister calls treatment of Ashley Smith 'unacceptable'

**Smith inquest.** Liberal Leader Bob Rae calls out Conservatives on hypocrisy, 'dishonest' comments

Prime Minister Stephen Harper publicly criticized correctional authorities on Thursday for their handling of a disturbed teenager who choked to death in her cell five years ago, prompting opposition accusations of federal government dishonesty.

The issue reached the House of Commons following the screening of a disturbing jailhouse video at an inquest into the death of Ashley Smith this week that shows guards duct-taping her and drugging her against her will.

"The Ashley Smith case is obviously a terrible tragedy," Harper said.

However, information has come to light that shows Corrections Canada's behaviour was "completely unacceptable," he told the House of Commons.

Outside the Commons, Liberal Leader Bob Rae accused the Conservative government of being "dishonest."

"This is a government that wanted to stop the showing of those videos," Rae said.

"This is a government that, every step of the way, attempted to keep Canadians from seeing what went on."

While federal lawyers lost a court battle to keep the videos under wraps, they are still fighting to limit the scope of the inquest, which would block scrutiny of what happened to Smith in prisons outside Ontario.

Harper said he would let "arguments between lawyers" play out without interference.

Smith choked to death as guards looked on in October 2007 at a prison in Kitchener, Ont. She had spent the past year of her life in segregation, shunted among prisons in five provinces.

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Ashley Smith is duct-taped to her seat on an airplane during a transfer from a Saskatoon prison on April 12, 2007. The protests of a now-dead teenager filled a courtroom Wednesday as surveillance videos were screened. THE CANADIAN PRESS

## Police report

### No proof of wrongdoing

A Quebec police investigation into the drugging of teen inmate Ashley Smith at Joliette prison has found no evidence of wrongdoing.

Footage of the incidents, broadcast publicly for the first time Wednesday, shows staff in gas masks, helmets and hazmat-type suits pinning the shackled but docile woman to a gurney with a plastic riot shield while a nurse injects Smith with a heavy anti-psychotic five times in seven hours.

At one point, guards sit on Smith's legs while a nurse threatens the inmate with "bigger" injections "that will hurt more."

Staff, the report concluded, administered the injections in "the normal manner." TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

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## Cancer study. Stem cells reverse chemo-induced infertility in monkeys

Scientists have long been searching for a way to preserve fertility in young boys left unable to father a child later in life after being treated for childhood cancer. That's because chemotherapy and radiation can destroy the stem cells in the testes that give rise to sperm with the onset of puberty.

Now researchers, using monkeys, have shown that samples of testicular tissue that have been frozen can be thawed and re-implanted following chemotherapy and begin producing sperm.

The researchers' work is described in the November issue of the journal *Cell Stem*

### Radon gas danger

#### Health Canada urges tests in fall

Health Canada is urging Canadians to test their homes for radon, the second-leading cause of lung cancer after smoking.

The radioactive gas occurs naturally in the ground

### The downside

- Before attempting the procedure in humans, researchers must deal with the risk they could re-seed cancer cells into a testicle along with the stem-cell transplant.
- The procedure would not be an option for post-pubescent teens or men who did not store a semen sample prior to chemotherapy or radiation treatment.

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and can leak into homes through foundation cracks or gaps around pipes. It cannot be seen, smelled or tasted, but easy tests sold by most hardware stores can measure radon levels.

Health Canada suggests testing for three months starting in the fall.

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# Study uncovers hundreds of apps to hook smokers

**Smart Health Project.** Pro-smoking programs discovered while developing apps for consumer health care and research

Public-health scientists trying to create smartphone applications to help smokers quit have stumbled on more than 100 apps they believe are a new route to hooking addicts.

The study found a wide-open world of "pro-smoking" content including explicit cigarette-brand images are reaching millions of users, including teenagers and children." The 107 apps identified as pro-smoking included virtual cigarettes smoked by blowing on the mobile device's microphone, tobacco-store finders, games and brand explanations.

Researchers stopped short of tracing the home countries of the app developers, which governments may need to stop them. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE



Scientists working on applications to help smokers quit found 107 apps they believe are a new method of hooking addicts. KAREN BLEIER/AFP/GTY IMAGES FILE

### An app for that

- One free Google Play app for Android, *Smoke Virtual Cigarette*, has been downloaded more than one million times. Its developer, MJMS Solutions, runs a Swahili-language website.
- Other apps were designed as lit cigarettes that could be used as battery gauges, screen savers and virtual ashtrays. One allowed users to collect points for buying Marlboro cigarettes.
- Scientists pointed out that the pro-smoking apps "appear to be violating Article 13 of the World Health Organization Framework, which bans advertising and promotion of tobacco products in all media, including the Internet." That would also apply to countries that ban tobacco advertising; Canada is among them.

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# Subway arteries bring N.Y.C. back to life



Chris Zaturowski siphons gasoline from his car to use for a generator at his home in Little Ferry, N.J., on Thursday. His home has been without power since Superstorm Sandy hit on Monday. MIKE GROLL/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

## Problems remain.

Concerns rise for safety of elderly and the poor

New York City moved closer to resuming its frenetic pace by getting back its vital subways Thursday, three days after the superstorm. But neighbouring New Jersey was stunned by coastal devastation and the news of thousands of people

in one city still stranded by increasingly fetid flood waters.

In New York, people streamed into the city as service began to resume on commuter trains and subways. Amtrak's Northeast Corridor — the busiest train line in the country — was to take commuters along the heavily populated East Coast again, starting Friday.

But hundreds of people lined up for buses, traffic jammed for kilometres and long gas lines formed. The latest deaths

## On the surface

**"Manhattan is getting back to normal — at least, the parts most people notice."**

Alex Koppelman, writing on The New Yorker website Thursday

reported included two young boys who disappeared Monday night when waves of water crashed into an SUV.

Hundreds of thousands in New York City alone were still without power, especially in downtown Manhattan. Concerns rose over the elderly and poor, who faced pitch-black hallways and dwindling food.

"Our problem is making sure they know that food is available," New York City Mayor Michael Bloomberg said, as officials expressed concern about people hauling water from fire hydrants up dark flights of stairs. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

## Bloomberg can see it now. Obama is best man to fight climate change, mayor says

New York Mayor Michael Bloomberg on Thursday backed U.S. President Barack Obama over Republican Mitt Romney, saying the incumbent Democrat will bring leadership that is critically needed to fight climate change after the East Coast devastation wrought by Superstorm Sandy.

The endorsement from the politically independent and

popular third-term mayor was a major boost for Obama, who is spending the campaign's final days trying to win over independent voters whose voices will be critical in determining who wins Tuesday's election.

Both candidates had eagerly sought the nod from Bloomberg, who didn't endorse a presidential candidate in 2008.

As New York continued to pick up the pieces after the superstorm devastated parts of the city this week, Bloomberg said Sandy had made the stakes of the election even clearer.

He said the climate is changing and that Obama has taken major steps in the right direction.

"We need leadership from the White House, and over the past four years, President Barack Obama has taken major steps to reduce our carbon consumption," Bloomberg wrote in an online opinion piece, citing higher fuel-efficiency standards for vehicles and stricter controls on mercury emissions. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



N.Y.C. Mayor Michael Bloomberg didn't endorse a candidate in 2008. ALISON JOYCE/GETTY IMAGES

## Texas

### \$100K returned after alleged improper seizure

Authorities in a Texas county where a drug-enforcement program was allegedly used to shake down black and Latino highway travellers are returning more than \$100,000 taken during the traffic stops.

The stops near the Louisiana border often resulted in people being forced to hand over cash without any charges being filed. They have led to multiple lawsuits and criminal investigations. District Attorney Kenneth Florence says the cases were dismissed after an agreement was reached in August to settle a class-action lawsuit.

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## Unwelcome praise

### Love the prez, hate his fans? Romney attacks in new ad

Mitt Romney's campaign is running a new ad in Florida that claims Venezuelan President Hugo Chavez and Fidel Castro's niece would support U.S. President Barack Obama. The spot shows a clip of Chavez saying that if he were American, "I'd vote for Obama." The Venezuelan leader did say that in September, when he also called Obama "a good guy."

Obama's campaign on Thursday said the ad gives Chavez more attention than he deserves. Venezuela has had tense relations with the U.S. government for years, even though the U.S. is a top buyer of its oil.

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# Comfort food big in Big Apple

**Manhattan.** Stranded and in the dark, Sandy-stricken residents take solace in the (not always healthy) basics, like chips, chicken-noodle soup and the company of friends

Jamie Sanders went to the grocery store in the aftermath of Superstorm Sandy with good intentions. Cucumbers and apples were on her list.

But her local supermarket hadn't gotten any new supplies — and with the prospect of working in her Upper East Side apartment for several days ahead, she joined the hordes of East Coast residents holed up in their homes who found comfort in the bottom of a crinkly bag, a brightly coloured box or a perfect pint-sized cardboard container.

"There was some canned food left and some Oreos," the copywriter and beauty blogger said. "I do like Oreos, but these were an impulse buy. I saw they were Winter Oreos,

with red cream and a snowman on top, and I had to try them."

Chips and salsa also went into the cart, although she would have preferred Doritos if any were left, and she sheepishly admitted to making a meal of some boxed macaroni and cheese, too.

Facebook and Twitter were full of similar mini-confessions of calories consumed while people were either left in the dark and trying to eat up what was deep in their freezer before it thawed, or making do with the shelf-stable packaged foods that were in the grocery store after the meat and produce were gone.

Nancy Yates, a retired United Nations development officer who lives in desolate lower Manhattan, where thousands of people are still living without power, went shopping with neighbour Norma Fontane for comfort food at a bodega lit by flashlight and candlelight.

They picked up canned chicken-noodle soup and crackers, chocolate bars, chips and cookies — "to help the depression," Fontane joked.

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## Care for a gondola?

A woman walks in high water near the Rialto Bridge in Venice on Thursday. High tides have flooded Venice, leading Venetians and tourists to don high boots and use wooden walkways to cross St. Mark's Square and other areas under water. Flooding is common this time of year, though this water level, which reached a peak of 140 centimetres, was below the 160 centimetres recorded four years ago in the worst flooding in decades. LUIGI COSTANTINI/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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# Suspect threw bombs at pursuers: Police

## Highway chase.

Man was wanted in connection to pipe bombings at his ex-girlfriend's house

A man wanted on charges of detonating pipe bombs in Virginia led police on a chase across the Montana plains Thursday during which he threw a half-dozen bombs at

his pursuers before he was captured, authorities said.

The chase began after a trooper pulled over Laurence Alan Stewart II for speeding, said Bradley Beyersdorf, a spokesman for the federal Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives.

Stewart, 25, stopped at first, then sped off. Deputies and a helicopter joined in the pursuit. Along the way, Stewart threw approximately six pipe bombs at the officers behind him.

## Quoted

**"This was an individual that was very dangerous. He showed that capacity in Virginia and continued that today ..."**

ATF spokesman Bradley Beyersdorf

Beyersdorf said. There were no injuries. The chase went on for about 64 kilometres before the officers disabled the car. Stew-

art fled the vehicle with a handgun but was taken into custody.

Stewart is suspected of detonating pipe bombs in the homes of his ex-girlfriend and two investigators handling an earlier indecent exposure case that involves him.

Stewart faces charges in Virginia that include attempted capital murder of a law enforcement officer, manufacture or possession of a weapon of terror, and arson.

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Stafford County Sheriff Charles Jett leads a news conference about the search for suspect Laurence Alan Stewart II on Wednesday. Stewart was taken into custody Thursday after a chase during which he allegedly threw pipe bombs at police.

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## Slavery commission

### Jamaicans could seek reparations from Britain

Jamaica has revived a reparations commission to research slavery's social and economic impacts and examine whether the predominantly black island should seek compensation from Britain. The panel has 18 months to receive submissions, evaluate research and undertake public consultations in order to make recommendations for a possible reparations claim.

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## Helicopter shooting

### Civil rights group demands an investigation

The American Civil Liberties Union of Texas is demanding an independent investigation of the fatal shooting of two suspected illegal Guatemalan immigrants by a Texas trooper from a helicopter. The trooper fired at a fleeing truck in an effort to disable it on Oct. 25. Nine Guatemalan immigrants were hidden in the pickup's bed. Three were wounded, two fatally.

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# Astronauts go on a spacewalk to fix leak

**Solution.** Rerouted coolant lines on space station, bypassing what they believe to be a leaking radiator

Two spacewalking astronauts worked on a leaky radiator system outside the International Space Station on Thursday, just hours after barely dodging a menacing piece of orbiting

junk.

NASA ordered the space station to change position on Wednesday evening to avoid a fragment from a communication satellite that was destroyed in a high-speed collision three years ago.

Thrusters on a docked Russian supply ship were fired to move the orbiting lab out of harm's way. But a computer error caused the thrusters to malfunction and the space station did not reach the desired

altitude. NASA officials said the space station and its six residents were safe despite their lower-than-intended orbit.

Station commander Sunita Williams and Japanese astronaut Akihiko Hoshide rerouted ammonia coolant lines and bypassed a radiator believed to be leaking. They isolated the suspect radiator to help flight controllers determine in the coming days whether that, indeed, is the source of the ammonia seepage. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

## Out of this world

- Hours of experience. The spacewalk lasted six and a half hours and bumped Sunita Williams into the No. 5 position of most experienced spacewalkers. She has spent 50 hours and 40 minutes out in the vacuum of space over seven spacewalks, the most by a woman.



Space station commander Sunita Williams, centre, works on a leaky radiator system outside the International Space Station on Thursday, just hours after barely dodging a menacing piece of orbiting junk. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

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## Bulgaria

### Europe's oldest town unearthed: Archeologist

A prehistoric town unearthed in eastern Bulgaria is the oldest urban settlement found to date in Europe, a Bulgarian archaeologist said Thursday.

Vasil Nikolov, a professor from Bulgaria's National Institute of Archaeology, said the stone walls excavated by his team near the town of Provadia, Bulgaria, are estimated to date between 4,700 and 4,200 B.C. He said the walls, which are 10 feet high and six-and-a-half feet thick, are believed to be the earliest and most massive fortifications from Europe's prehistory.

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## Cross-border action

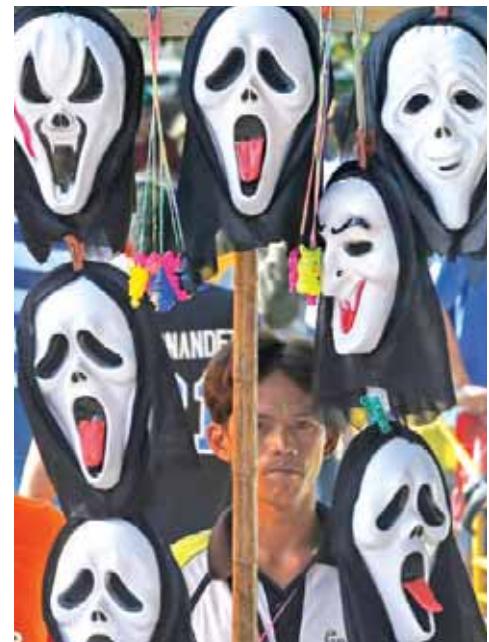
### Love leads to police chase

Mounties in Osoyoos, B.C., say the actions of two U.S. men suggest that if love is blind, apparently it's not that smart, either.

RCMP Cpl. Jason Bayda says the men were denied entry to Canada because of their past criminal records, yet they still decided to jump the border but, once spotted, led officers on a Hollywood-style chase through Osoyoos, running across rooftops and leaping backyard fences.

Love is a strong incentive and Bayda says one of the men simply wanted to hook up with a former flame whose U.S. visa had expired, and travel with her to Mexico.

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### Christians honour the dead

A vendor sells masks as Filipinos flock to Manila's North Cemetery to honour the departed in observance of All Saints' Day on Thursday in the Philippine capital. As with many Christians all over the world, Filipinos mark the yearly tradition of All Saints' Day by offering prayers, flowers and lighting candles at graves in cemeteries and funeral parks. **BULLIT MARQUEZ/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

# Surfer recovering after fighting off great white

## Shark attack.

California man suffered lacerations, but managed to beat his way to freedom

A California surfer who survived a shark attack says he punched the beast in the head until it finally released him.

Scott Stephens says the great white pulled him underwater Tuesday near the entrance to Humboldt Bay,

about 250 miles north of San Francisco.

The animal let him go only after receiving the blows to its head.

Doctors say Stephens suffered at least seven deep lacerations, but none of his vital organs were damaged.

He required more than 100 staples to seal multiple gashes and was in fair condition Wednesday.

The 25-year-old thanked the doctors who operated on him and strangers who came to his aid. He says he plans to surf again. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**



Scott Stephens shows his battle scars Wednesday. SHAUN WALKER/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

## Tech wars

Apple not sorry enough, says British court

British judges say Apple needs to apologize again for falsely claiming that Samsung copied its iPad, the latest episode in the tech rivals' world-spanning patent battle.

Apple Inc. was ordered to print an apology on its website after British judges rejected its claim that Samsung ripped off its designs when creating the Galaxy Tab. Apple did post an apology, but judges at London's High Court ruled Thursday that it didn't go far enough.

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## Cocaine trade

Brazilian police find drug tunnel to university

Police say they found a 15-metre tunnel used by drug traffickers to deliver cocaine to university students in Brazil's largest city.

Police Col. Cesar Augusto Morelli said the tunnel connected the ring-leader's home to a cocaine lab and then to a point close to a wall separating the Sao Remo slum from the University of Sao Paulo campus.

He says traffickers would emerge from the tunnel and sell drugs through a hole in the wall.

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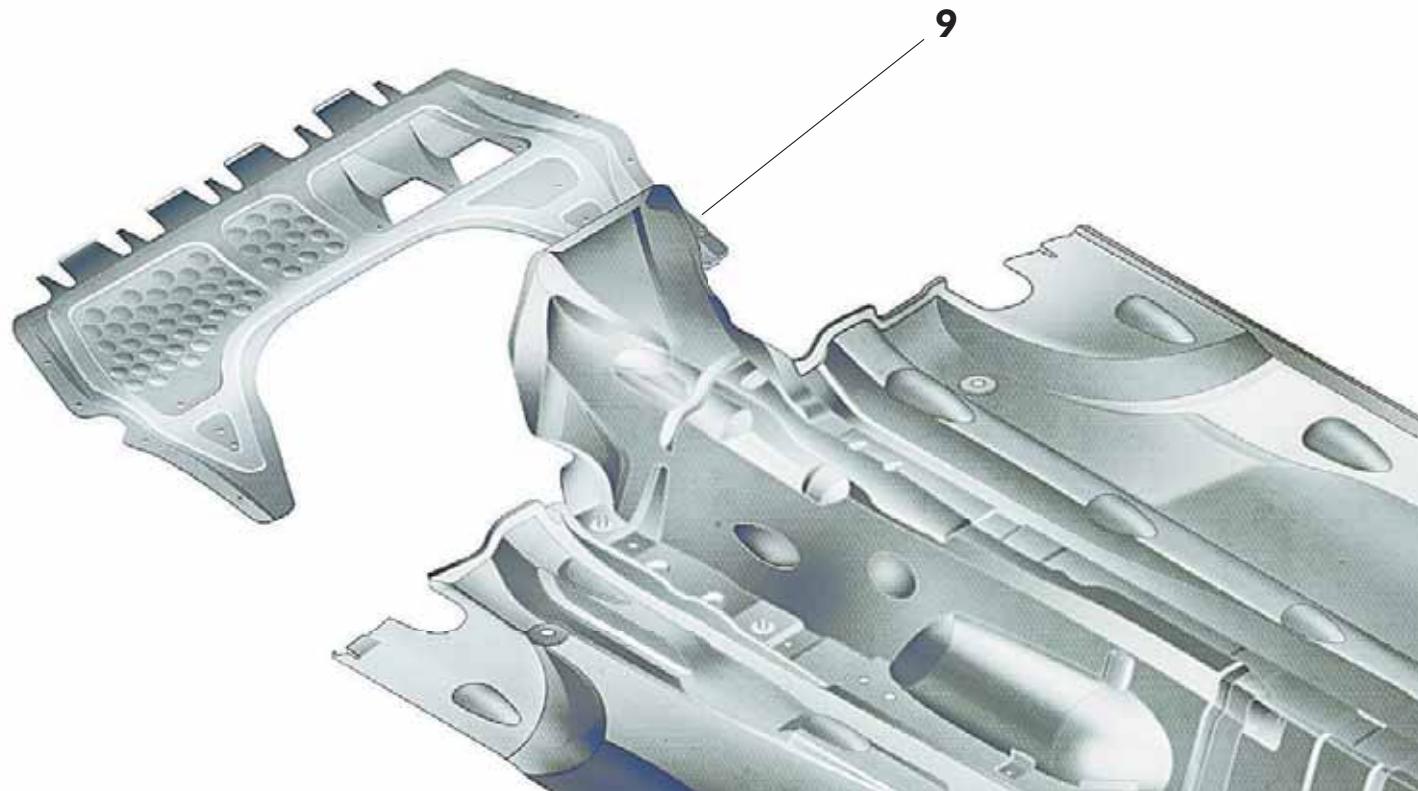
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## China. Refusing Nexen deal could cost Canada

Canada can expect a chilly reception and damaged relations with Beijing if the Harper government dents China's pride by refusing a \$15.1-billion bid for a piece of this country's oilpatch, observers say.

And other foreign investors will have occasion to pause if state-owned China National Offshore Oil Corp. is blocked in the friendly takeover of Calgary-based Nexen, they add.

Those investors would question Ottawa's commitment to open markets and the government would take political heat — from both supporters and opponents of the decision — for once again not having a clear strategy for dealing with foreign takeovers.

Stock values among Canadian resource firms would almost certainly fall, some hard.

On purely technical terms, the friendly deal announced July 23 is a no-brainer for the Nexen shareholders — they would receive a 61 per cent premium on shares.

## Quoted

**"I don't know how you construct a narrative to explain saying no to this transaction."**

John Manley, head of the Canadian Council of Chief Executives and former Liberal industry minister

But under the Investment Canada Act, deals involving WTO member countries valued at more than \$330 million must be a "net benefit" to Canada. Just what constitutes a "net benefit" exactly is unclear, but Prime Minister Stephen Harper has said clarifications are coming soon.

"There's no good putting lipstick on a pig," says John Manley, a former Liberal industry minister who now heads the country's most influential business lobby group, the Canadian Council of Chief Executives.

**"I don't know how you construct a narrative to explain saying no to this transaction."**

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## Retail

### Storm spending may impact U.S. holiday sales

Americans spent briskly in October before Superstorm Sandy hit the Northeast U.S. at the tail-end of the month. The question is

whether they're still willing to buy an iPhone for Christmas if they plunked down hundreds on a generator for Sandy.

Twenty-one retailers from club operator Costco to department store Macy's reported that October sales through last Saturday were up five per cent compared with the year-ago period,

according to the International Council of Shopping Centers.

But analysts fear that many people who bought generators, bottled water and other emergency and cleanup supplies before and after the storm will be less inclined to spend over the holidays.

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# Pointing the finger: Scanner tracks employee absences

**Modern-day time card.**  
Toronto law firm's use of biometric monitoring has staff up in arms

The days of sneaking out for three-hour lunch breaks will soon be over at a Toronto law firm after it decided to install fingerprint-scanning technology to monitor its employees' comings and goings.

Last month, McCague Borlack LLP announced plans for a revamped security system that will require staff (except lawyers who spend much of their time with clients) to clock in and out of the office with a finger swipe, keeping track of morning late-comers or those who try to jump-start their weekends by slipping out early on a Friday.

"Some people were abusing the system," said founding partner Howard Borlack, 58. "We had people taking two to three hours for lunch and we had no way of knowing.... Some people were compaining."

Other Toronto firms use security passes and honour systems to keep track of time worked. McCague Borlack, which focuses mostly on insurance law and employs about 200 people, has gone a step further with a system that not only provides office access via fingerprint, but also records employees as they enter and leave.

In mid-November, when



Howard Borlack, founding partner at McCague Borlack in Toronto, stands by a machine that scans part of a finger. The law firm will fingerprint support staff to track their work hours. VINCE TALOTTA/TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

the system is expected to go live, the office will be equipped with finger-scanning machines that will keep a rolling record of the time spent in the office.

Carleton University law professor Michael MacNeil, who specializes in legal issues surrounding privacy and surveillance, said the fingerprinting system is just one example of the way workplaces are using technology to monitor and maximize productivity.

But legislation has lagged behind the trend, he said, leaving more questions than

## Staff opposition

The plan has drawn outrage among a group of bloggers who identify themselves as McCague Borlack secretaries.

- On their "Finger Campaign" website, the group accuses the firm of ostracizing secretaries and copy-room staff. They called the system

an "insult to our human dignity."

- "The indignant finger-printing program does not seek to address any security concerns at all," one post read. "It's for the 'mark 'em and track 'em' purpose exclusively."

answers over what constitutes an invasion of privacy in the workplace. "There's a lot of it

going on," he said. "It's an area where the law is underdeveloped." TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

## Detroit

### U.S. auto sales weather October

Most major automakers reported sales increases in October despite losing at least three days of business to Superstorm Sandy.

Toyota said its sales rose almost 16 per cent

for the month, while Volkswagen reported another strong month with sales up 22 per cent. Honda sales slowed from double-digit growth earlier in the year to 8.8 per cent, while Chrysler sales rose 10 per cent. General Motors was up five per cent and Ford rose slightly.

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**1** G-strings. Among businesses being reimbursed for losses incurred during 2010's G20 summit in Toronto is the Zanzibar strip club. Not only did the bar suffer damages from rioters, but they also experienced an unprecedented dip in revenue from the absence of politicos.

**2** Mile-high madness. Maygan Sensenberger wanted to be famous. Her journey began last August at age 22, when she married then-68-year-old Liberal Senator Rod Zimmer. One year later, almost to the day, during a flight to Saskatoon, a lovers' spat landed her in jail. She was charged with endangering the safety of an aircraft, uttering threats and causing a disturbance. Sensenberger says she still "plans to be big," but does not want to be known as the "crazy Air Canada lady." That's fair. Let's keep Air Canada out of this.

**3** Papa Can You Hear Me? Barbra Streisand began her Canadian tour last week to sold out crowds.

The show apparently begins with a video montage of Babs' childhood and early career to the tune of You'll Never Know, as Streisand emerges to a welcoming public. If you listen closely, you can hear at least one person saying, "\$1,000 a ticket, and I'm watching her home movies!"

**4** Space invaders. Austrian daredevil, Felix Baumgartner, stated in an interview that sending machines to Mars is pointless. He says our tax dollars could be spent more wisely, and that people should decide, "Are you willing to spend all this money to go to Mars?" Well, maybe not to go, but if I could send Bristol Palin and the cast of Jersey Shore, count me in.

**5** Who cares? Kim Kardashian wore a \$2,000 waist-length blond wig with her sexy mermaid costume for a Halloween party last week, and is now asking her more than 16 million Twitter followers if she should dye it for real. Perhaps the real question is why she even has 16 million followers? I'm thinking her time would be better spent trying to cultivate a talent of any kind.

**6** Adult ed. Twenty-six-year-old Canadian rapper, Drake, completed his high school diploma and dedicated it to his mom in a heartfelt speech. "I'll sleep a little better tonight knowing that I found a way to follow through." Congratulations buddy. Next stop: Harvard.

**7** Ball talk. NBA basketball is back with a new venue in Brooklyn, and improved Celtic and Laker teams to challenge 2012 juggernauts Miami and OKC. A great time for hockey fans to either become basketball fans, or start talking to their wives.

**8** Car-tunes. This week in 1969, the #1 song on the U.K. singles chart was Sugar, Sugar by The Archies. The song was co-written and co-sung by Canada's own Andy Kim. Sorry to disappoint those of you who thought it was actually sung by Archie, but he and Jughead were hungover.

**9** Hey soul sista. A homegrown R&B diva is emerging from our midst. Torontonians will see Andria Simone perform tracks from her debut CD, Nothing Comes Easy, at the Drake next week. But she'll be making the national rounds soon enough. You heard it here first.



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## It's a Hip replacement



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Scalpel, I mean script

45-years-old

Their music at work

### ER doc is Ahead by a Century

Director Max Montalvo, right, in a Dodgers hat, Tragically Hip drummer Johnny Fay, wearing a sombrero, and guitarist Rob Baker, to the right of Fay, work with two actors in the foreground in the music video Looakahead, at Milagro Restaurant in Toronto in this photo taken at a recent filming.

Montalvo is a staff emergency doctor in Kingston, Ont., and in whatever free time he can carve out, he's a filmmaker, directing music videos by Sarah Harmer, Stripper's Union and, most recently, The Tragically Hip.

"I sometimes think that filming can be as exhausting and challenging as if you're working a busy string of shifts ... But as a friend of mine said one time: 'The difference is no one is clapping after you sew up their finger.'"

Max Montalvo  
Emergency room doctor, filmmaker

### Working two jobs is pretty Hip

Montalvo has been practising emergency medicine for a decade, while his filmmaking career took off more recently when he directed 2010's El Payo, a documentary about northern Ontario flamenco guitarist David Phillips, who died in 2002.

Montalvo met Tragically Hip guitarist Rob Baker through mutual friends and gradually developed a relationship with the rest of the band.

Still, it was a special joy for Montalvo to watch and shoot the recording sessions for the band's recently released disc, Now For Plan A. Determined not to use

the resulting footage for a typical promotional clip, Montalvo instead cut an arty, wry, black-and-white video that runs more than 11 minutes, includes almost no English and features a performance by Canadian metal outfit Kooznetz superimposed over images of the Hip recording.

The Hip loved the video and commissioned Montalvo to helm clips for two more songs. For the driving At Transformation, Montalvo created an oblique visual collage, while he took a different approach for Looakahead, released this week.

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Check out the video at metronews.ca



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### Should companies do more to help their employees find work-life balance?



Twitter

@BradenM3:

My advanced condolences to people who are going to fall on their a- and eat s-t today, myself included. #yeg

@elesig91:

RAIN, STAHP IT RAIN, YA TRAH-MATIZING ME. #yeg

@KelseyLydynuk:

I would like to thank the lady who gave me her visitor parking spot and pass for the day - good

people are still out there!! #yeg #nait

@deecallico:

tower rd and 113 ave, lady picks up elderly pedestrian to give her a lift somewhere safe. faith in humanity restored. #yeg #yegtraffic

@superlizmoon:

I can just picture #yeg snowplow drivers slo-mo walking to their plows space shuttle style.



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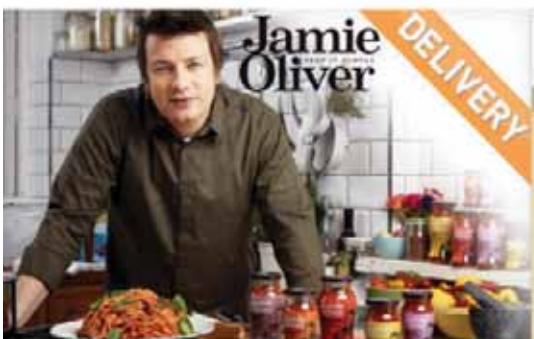
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Denzel Washington yet again takes on the role of a hero with a dark side in *Flight*. HANDBOUT

Reel Guys

RICHARD  
CROUSE AND  
MARK BRESLIN



**Uneven course.** Ned Ehrbar fills in for Mark Breslin and reviews *Flight*, a film that struggles to set a consistent tone

**Richard:** Ned, is there another A-list leading man who explores the dark sides of their characters as often as Washington? Will Smith and Tom Cruise will occasionally let the heroic side of their on-screen personas take a back seat, but Washington revels in mucking around in the mud. From *Training Day* to *American Gangster* and *Safe House*, he crafts complex characters you wouldn't want to sit next to on the bus. Do you think this is Oscar worthy?

**Ned:** As far as A-listers in love with the dark side, it's pretty much Washington and Leo DiCaprio. And Washington gets plenty murky here — so much so that it made me wonder if we'd be rooting for this character at all if it were played by someone else. Let's face it, the booze- and coke-addled pilot he plays here only has one attractive characteristic: Looking and sounding like Denzel Washington. As for Oscar-worthy, I'm not so sure.

**RC:** I thought he managed to subtly capture the ego and hubris that allows his hotshot character to present a sober face to the public, even though the film's visual language is frequently not as refined. A close-up of Washington's hand grasping a mini bottle of vodka and the accompanying swoosh

sound looks like something that should be in a commercial.

**NE:** The tone of the film in general seemed to be all over the place. Who knows, maybe the whole film was supposed to seem drunk? In any event, it didn't work for me. His hitting rock bottom is played for laughs, and Kelly Riley — as the recovering heroin addict he shacks up with for some reason — seems to be literally in a different movie for the first 30 minutes or so. And as movies about alcoholism go, it doesn't do *Flight* any favours to come out soon after the more nuanced *Smashed*.

**RC:** I think *Smashed* is a much more touching story about addiction. As much as I enjoyed Washington, I wish the movie had been more concise. It flits around a half-dozen themes be-

#### Synopsis

Denzel Washington plays a troubled airline pilot who safely lands a malfunctioning plane, saving 96 of the 102 passengers and crew. Hailed as a hero at first, soon his unsavoury personal habits bring him under suspicion. Was the malfunction that brought the plane down of a mechanical or personal nature?

- **Richard:** ••••
- **Ned:** ••••

fore the end.

**NE:** The movie left me cold. It starts great — with thrilling take-off and crash-landing sequences, but it's flat and uneven from then on.

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# Helen Hunt appears in *The Sessions* as you've never seen her before

## Barenaked lady.

Actress takes on role that requires full frontal nudity to help tell the story of a sexual surrogate

HEIDI  
PATALANO  
Metro World News in New York

There's not much that Helen Hunt hasn't done in Hollywood. An actress since age nine, she has appeared in dozens of movies and TV shows, had a hit sitcom and she's written, directed and produced plenty more. But Hunt heads into the great unknown with *The Sessions*, in which she portrays real life sexual surrogate Cheryl Cohen-Greene. Cohen-Greene worked with Mark O'Brien, whose childhood struggle with polio left him paralyzed from the neck down. While the full-frontal nudity required of the role left Hunt craving "sweat-



*The Sessions* opens next Friday. HANDOUT

pants and a hamburger" at the end of the day, the beautiful story was well worth the sacrifice, she tells us.

**Obviously one of the most fascinating things about this movie is your character's job as a sexual surrogate**

**for those who have physical handicaps. What was the most interesting aspect of what she does?**

To me, the most interesting part was just her spirit, her vibe, her unabashed slightly loud, no-bulls—t Boston accent, her excited way of talking

about sex. That was a cocktail I had never seen before.

**Did you come to understand how she came into that profession?**

She says a little about it in the movie. Basically she was born a very sexual person, which

I hadn't heard anybody say in a movie ... She found out that there was such a thing as surrogacy and there was an entire association devoted to training people and making sure they watch out for their own weirdness affecting the other people, which is like any

therapist. ... I think it seemed to be that over time, it grew into a real vocation.

**Speaking of your own vocation, I think at different points in a person's career there are things you're willing to do and there are things you're not willing to do. What made you feel ready to do the nudity now?**

The first thing is reading a good story. It's so rare that you read a story you haven't heard a hundred times and a character that I've seen in life or in a movie — just an utterly new person to create. And then [it's] a feeling of like, it's getting late, what am I gonna wait for or worry about? Just jump in.

**What was it like to see *The Sessions* finally in the theatre? Do you hate watching yourself?**

It's not the easiest thing in the world. I don't ever look at anything after. Now that I've seen it, I won't be seeing it ever again in my whole life.

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Skyfall: The IMAX Experience (14A)

Cloud Atlas encompasses six stories over a span of 500 years and features an enormous cast of A-list stars playing multiple roles. This means it's also very long — 172 minutes — and carries with it the ambitions of an epic. So here are five other movies with running times adding to their sense of importance.

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### Lawrence of Arabia (1962 and 1989)

The very definition of an epic. You'll see various running times out there, all of which flirt with the four-hour mark. But the 1989 reconstruction of David Lean's classic wound up being close to its original length of 216 minutes. Breathtaking in its scope and hugely influential with its gorgeously grand, sweeping vistas, it won seven Academy Awards, including best picture. There's a lot of ground to cover and Lawrence was a complicated guy. Besides, who wouldn't want to look at Peter O'Toole for that long?



### Apocalypse Now Redux (2001)

Ford Coppola added 49 minutes of never-before-seen footage and re-released it as a 197-minute director's cut, the version he always wanted the world to see. This includes more footage of the beach attack scene and the much-talked-about French plantation scene. While it's fascinating to see what Coppola deleted from the original film, he didn't always improve his master work, and at times, he weakened it. (We also could have included the first two Godfather movies here, which clock in at 175 minutes and 200 minutes, respectively, and deserve every second.)



# 5 movies that will clear your calendar

### Magnolia (1999)

I loved this movie when it came out, and I love it still, and the fact that it's over three hours long only magnifies the enormity of the emotions — the way Paul Thomas Anderson intertwines the various characters' lives and expertly times their highs and lows. It's big and beautiful, fluid and messy — a profound exploration of love and loneliness in the most prosaic of places, the San Fernando Valley. You could spend 188 minutes just sitting on the 101 freeway, trying to get from Studio City to Woodland Hills. This is far more compelling.



### Inland Empire (2006)

Back when I reviewed this, I wrote that it might be David Lynch's masterpiece, or it might be a total mess. What I was sure of was the fact that it changed my mood for the rest of the day — it stuck with me, messed with me — and I couldn't ignore that. While it features many of Lynch's

regular players (Laura Dern, Harry Dean Stanton, Justin Theroux) and his trademark disjointed, nightmarish visuals, it's also a defiantly plotless mixture of bunny rabbits, dark hallways and dancing prostitutes. That it runs 180 minutes adds to its hypnotic nature.

### Heat (1995)

Michael Mann's crime saga takes on an epic, operatic quality as it sprawls across 170 minutes and throughout Los Angeles. This will go down as Mann's masterpiece — although *The Insider*, which is also pretty damn long at 157 minutes, is also pretty great. Everything he does best is on display here: The stylized visuals, gritty violence and complex characters who occupy a murky moral area. Since we're keeping track of time, the coolly precise bank robbery that Robert De Niro, Al Pacino and Tom Sizemore pull off, followed by that famous shootout in the heart of downtown, comes at the halfway point.



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# Pop-moustache polarity

There's good reason mustachio rhymes with braggadocio, because in this past century you needed major league guts to carry one off with aplomb. "Like two erect sentries, my moustache defends the entrance to my real self," Salvador Dali captioned an iconic portrait, where his waxed-stache tips vertically extend, overshooting his eyes. Below the nose, follicle gardens tend to make bristly and divisive style statements that leave little room for middle ground — you're either a biker or a bellhop, a hippie or a hipster, Lemmy Kilmister or Freddie Mercury.

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## Toons

### Square—Ned Flanders

STYLE: THE MAGNUM

While Springfield's most irrepressibly jovial denizen may be as bland as a pint of Duff Light, his ample soup strainer, straight off the hirsute 1970s, is a colossal furry specimen. His stache embodies his sense of peace with his outsized manliness. Still, not everybody reads it right. "Judging from that moustache, you must be a member of the People's Republic of Berkley," Ted Nugent surmised.

### Hothead—Yosemite Sam

STYLE: BIG BUSHY MESS

Sam's ungainly whiskers account for 20 per cent of



Ned Flanders

his body mass and are so prodigious he could really conceal his two six-shooters in that furry menace. His ginger facial mane is an outward reflection of his

redneck Napoleon complex and banjo-smashing short fuse. If you look at Sam the wrong way, you better start saying your prayers, varmint.

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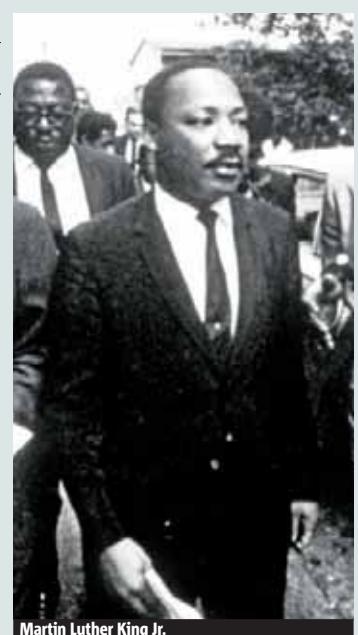
## Political leaders

### Hero—Martin Luther King Jr.

STYLE: CLARK GABLE STACHE

Nicknamed "The Moustache," Dewey ran against Roosevelt in the 1944 American presidential election. Alice Roosevelt Longworth publicly disdained Dewey's carefully cultivated and decidedly dapper lip-warmer, which complimented his put-together look, calling him "the little man on the wedding cake."

While moustache discrimination may still exist in some corners, most office places have removed restrictions. Disney theme parks lifted their employee mo ban in 2000, and just this past year relaxed rules on beards and goatees.



Martin Luther King Jr.

### Presidential hopeful—Thomas E. Dewey

## Rockers

### Theatrical Rock—Freddie Mercury

STYLE: CHEEKY CHEVRON

The late Queen lead singer's mo was as magnificent as his voice. His glamorous crumb-catcher looked particularly fetching when accessorized with a racerback tank top, fingerless leather biker gloves, or a spandex jumpsuit. Mercury's Moustache could probably sing We Are the Champions while doing the fandango.



Freddie Mercury

### Heavy Metal—Lemmy Kilmister

STYLE: THE LEMMY

Catch a glimpse of Motörhead frontman's muttonchops and feral stache in a dark alley and you might just scream louder than his band's speed metal.

Pioneering rock God or not, Lemmy's mug may be more famous

than his music, landing him in potato chip and Kit-Kat commercials in the U.K., a bit part in Airheads, and a cameo in the adult film John Wayne Bobbit Uncut.

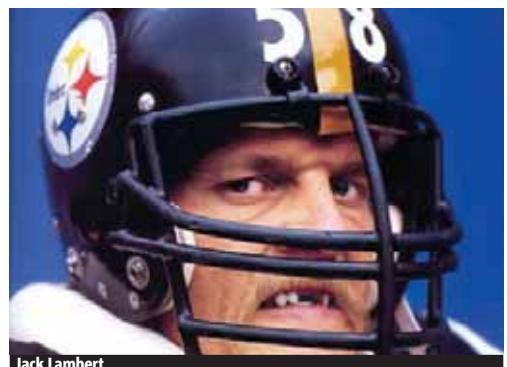
## Big four sports

### NFL Tough Guy—Jack Lambert

STYLE: SHAGGY WALRUS

You didn't want to see this hard-hitting linebacker staring you down across the line of scrimmage in the 1970s. Missing his front four top teeth, Lambert's snarling mug, highlighted by his drooping thicket of walrus-esque underbrush, was emblematic of Pittsburgh's stingy defense dubbed the Steel Curtain.

### MLB Nice Guy—



Jack Lambert

### Rollie Fingers Style

STYLE: HAUTE HANDLEBAR

While his sharp slider and impressive save tally put the A's pitcher in the Hall, most baseball fans' fondest memory of this rock solid reliever is of his exquisitely curled handlebar.

The leader of the Athletics' cookie duster cohort, Fingers first grew his stache in order to receive a \$300 bonus from eccentric owner Charles O. Finley, who also dreamed up Moustache Day at the ballpark.

# Borgia's ruthless rise to a television power

**Middle Ages.** The second season of TV's new powerhouse on a bloody Italian family is filmed near Rome with the best of the best crew and cast

Who doesn't love a wealthy family's bloody saga?

The Italian economy may be struggling, but the pan-European television series *Borgia*, which is now filming its second season in Italy, is a thriving hit on the world market.

Spanning the late Middle Ages to the early Renaissance period, the show follows the famous Borgia family's rise to power and subsequent domination of the Vatican and southern Europe's political landscape. A winning combination of sex, violence, faith, lust and betrayal, the primarily French-German production has been sold in 85 countries worldwide.

The first season follows the brutally ambitious Catalan Cardinal Rodrigo Borgia (played by U.S. actor John Doman) and his ruthless climb to become Pope Alexander VI. The second season, currently shooting, begins in 1494 and its focus slowly moves to his charismatic son Cesare Borgia (played by Irish actor Mark Rydell), the famed warrior prince who inspired Niccolò Machiavelli's *The Prince*.

Rydell said the biggest challenge has been taking his character from a whiny young boy in the first season to a "magnificent man of the Renaissance" in the second.

There are twenty-four different nationalities among the Borgia crew. Doman, best



The show follows the famous Borgia family's rise to power and domination of the Vatican.

GREGORIO BORGIA/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

## Quoted

**"We were always determined to have the best actors, the best designers, the most talented people here, regardless of what country they come from."**

**Tom Fontana**

Executive producer on *Borgia* talking about how they hired the staff

known for his role in the U.S. hit HBO TV series *The Wire* says it's a unique experience to work on such a multi-cultural production.

"We have all come from different places and we are all together working here on this project about a family and we're really kind of gelled as a family," he said.

On the set, a stocky Italian charges across the courtyard of the Caetani Castle and yells, "Action, silenzio!" prompting a tall, blond German to lift a movie camera off a metal frame and an Italian stunt woman to hoist herself onto a horse. Dozens of extras immediately snap to attention.

Nearby, in a black tent, a British director was following the action closely on a monitor while an Irish actor enjoyed a cigarette on his break, careful not to dirty his red velvet car-

dinal's robes.

The executive producer, American Tom Fontana, says producers searched far and wide to assemble the talent working on *Borgia*.

"We were always determined to have the best actors, the best designers, the most talented people here, regardless of what country they come from," he said. "Everyone who is here knows they are here because we think they are the best."

With a budget of \$38.7 million, the second season of Beta Film's *Borgia* is being shot over eight months in both Italy and the Czech Republic. Italy alone will feature 20 separate locations. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

## Community, White House family sitcom join NBC

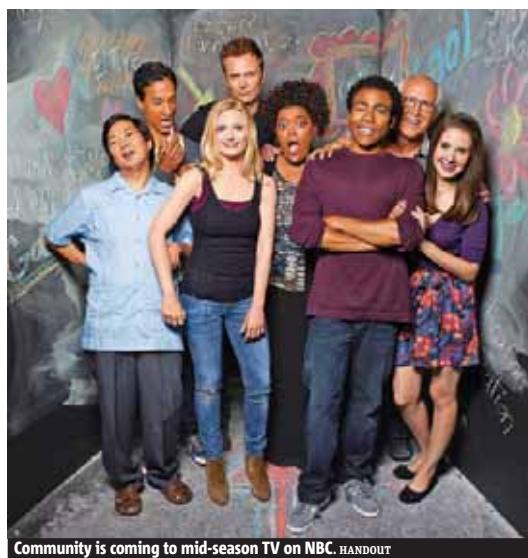
NBC is making room for *Community* on its mid-season schedule, along with a new comedy set in the White House and a dating series produced by former *Desperate Housewives* star Eva Longoria.

*Community*, which saw its return delayed this season, will air Thursdays starting Feb. 7.

The Joel McHale comedy will be followed by *Parks and Recreation*, which moves to its new time slot starting Jan. 17, NBC said Tuesday.

The sitcom 1600 Penn, starring Bill Pullman, Jenna Elfman and Josh Gad as the first family, will debut Jan. 10.

Longoria's *Ready for Love*,



*Community* is coming to mid-season TV on NBC. **HANDOUT**



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# Leading off the big releases: Aerosmith, Public Enemy and All That Remains

Now that November is here, the avalanche of albums really begins. And just wait until next week.



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## Legendary Child/ Aerosmith

The first single from *Music from Another Dimension*. The last Aerosmith album of new material was released seven months before the iPod 11 years ago.

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Alan Cross's selections.

## I Shall Not Be Moved/Public Enemy

Two PE albums will appear on Tuesday: the physical edition of *Most of My Heroes Still Don't Appear on No Stamp* (already available digitally) and the brand new *The Evil Empire of Everything*.



## You Can't Fill My Shadow/ All That Remains

The sixth album from this Massachusetts metalcore outfit is called *A War You Cannot Win*. Can they maintain the momentum of their last two records?

## Amy Winehouse. Charity says late singer's dresses stolen from her home



Amy Winehouse. SIMONE JOYNER/GETTY IMAGES

Amy Winehouse's charity says two of the late singer's dresses — including her wedding dress — are missing and believed stolen from her former London home.

The Amy Winehouse Foundation said Thursday the dress Winehouse wore for her 2006 Miami wedding to Blake Fielder-Civil and a newsprint cocktail dress she wore during a British TV appearance are both missing. The presumed theft was discovered during an inventory.

The wedding dress was to have been auctioned off for the charity, established to help young people overcome addiction. The singer's father, Mitch Winehouse, told the *Evening Standard* it was "sickening that someone would steal something in the knowledge of its sentimental value."

Winehouse, the Grammy-winning Back to Black singer, died from alcohol poisoning in 2011, at the age of 27.

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# Ne-Yo makes surprise appearance

**Cross-pollination.** R&B star joins forces with country star Tim McGraw in Nashville to perform new collaboration off latest release

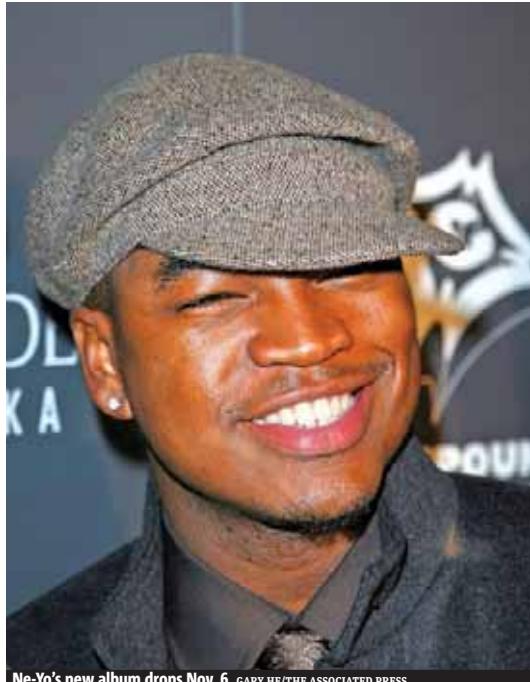
Ne-Yo feels right at home in Music City.

The silky-voiced R&B star joined Tim McGraw for a surprise performance Wednesday night. The two sang a pair of duets for a crowd of a few hundred invited guests at a private event on the eve of the Country Music Association Awards.

"For me, I feel like, in another life, I might've been a country artist," Ne-Yo said in an interview after the performance.

And he's not joking. He's found lots to love about country music since first joining McGraw for a Nashville-style songwriting session a few years back.

"Faith Hill actually made me fried chicken," Ne-Yo said. "She cooked fried chicken for me and it was fantastic. I knew I was coming out here



Ne-Yo's new album drops Nov. 6. GARY HE/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



Tim McGraw's new album, Two Lanes of Freedom, is dropping Feb. 5. GETTY IMAGES

to write, so I was expecting to go to, like, a studio and hear some skeletal track and then

just go from there. I went to Tim and Faith's house. It was me, Tim and a guy with a gui-

tar in the living room as the kids ran around, and it was the greatest writing experi-

ence I've ever had in my life."

The two sang McGraw's Only Human from his Emo-

**Quoted**

"She cooked fried chicken for me and it was fantastic."

Ne-Yo

Talking about Faith Hill cooking for him upon arrival to Music City

tional Traffic album. Then they wrapped up with Ne-Yo's She Is from his Nov. 6 release R.E.D.

A loose, upbeat McGraw threw the party to debut new material from his first Big Machine Records album Two Lanes of Freedom, out Feb. 5. He will perform new single One Of Those Nights on the CMA Awards and will join Hill in a tribute to Willie Nelson.

Ne-Yo can't make it to the show Thursday night. He's shooting a video for Forever Now. But he vowed to return to Nashville soon.

"We're definitely going to do it again," he said. "I met a lot of very important people in there. I met Tim's management and the Big Machine people, and just expect to see some more of this cross-pollination happening."

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# Extra ingredient Quinn added to old Holmes recipe as cop Tobias Gregson

**Elementary.** Irish actor unfazed by last-minute casting decision for latest adaptation of Sherlock Holmes

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There are only two characters that come to mind when you mention the work of Sir Arthur Conan Doyle: Holmes and Watson.

So perhaps the creators of Elementary, a new modernized take on the Sherlock Holmes character, can be excused for waiting until the last minute to cast actor Aidan Quinn as Captain Tobias Gregson, the New York City cop who hires the down-on-his-luck detective as a consultant.

Quinn, a hardworking actor who's appeared in a diverse range of films, from *Legends of the Fall* to *Jonah Hex*, was shooting on

to literally get off a plane and go straight to a hotel at nine o'clock at night. I had a three hour fitting and I

was being picked up at 5:30 a.m. to start shooting."

Luckily for Quinn, he'd had recent experience

playing a cop in the Big Apple to draw on, having just played one for 13 episodes on the television ser-

ies *Prime Suspect*. "I got to hang out with the chief of detectives, Lt. Jimmy West," he says. "I knew the

world I was walking into."

Elementary transplants Holmes, played by Johnny Lee Miller, to modern day New York, framing him as a recovering substance abuser with intolerance for slow-witted people. Dr. John Watson is now a Joan,

Irish actor Aidan Quinn (left) plays Captain Gregson in the latest Sherlock Holmes adaptation *Elementary*. HANDOUT

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## Quoted

**"I think he enjoys watching Holmes say nasty things to other people"**

**Irish actor Aidan Quinn**  
On his character police captain Tobias Gregson who lives vicariously through the no nonsense Holmes.

top of the Rockies when he got the call. "I was the last one cast," he says. "I had

that the sci-fi puzzler will eventually come to a highly satisfying conclusion, so we'll just have to trust him — right? (Citytv, Fox)

## Go easy on Pilgrim

The hyper-kinetic rom-com *Scott Pilgrim vs. The World* met disappointing box-office returns back in 2010, so here's guessing that many people still aren't wise to the quick-witted film's unique charms. Shot and based in Toronto and starring Canuck

Michael Cera, the film — airing Friday — follows a well-meaning slacker who meets his dream girl. (MuchMusic)

## Go Raptors!

The Toronto Raptors kicked off their season earlier this week, and Saturday will travel to face their newest division rivals on Rogers Sportsnet: The recently re-located Brooklyn Nets, owned in part by rap superstar Jay-Z.

## TV Picks

### Fringe secrecy

As the countdown to the series finale of *Fringe* continues, even the episode synopses are cloaked in mystery. All producers will tease about Friday's new episode is that the team responds to devastating events, forcing one of its own to make a "significant and shocking move." Well, Canadian star Joshua Jackson has asserted



### CK does SNL

Combine the hottest stand-up comic in the world right now with Saturday Night Live and the result is must-see TV for comedy fans. Louis CK, recent double Emmy winner for his misanthropic comedy series *Louie*, hosts the show for the first time Saturday. If the poison-tongued comic doesn't reel in viewers, perhaps the musical guest will help — it's hitmakers Fun. (NBC, Global) **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

# Animated film to show inner workings of Python Chapman

**A Liar's Autobiography.** Movie is a strange tribute to the often forgotten member of legendary comedy troupe

Some call Graham Chapman the forgotten Python. Some call him the enigmatic one. John Cleese calls him the dead one.

Don't expect the animated film *A Liar's Autobiography: The Untrue Story of Monty Python's Graham Chapman* to sort out his place in the British comedy troupe. Based on Chapman's book, an "autobiography" curiously co-authored with five other writers, the film doesn't reveal much that Python fans don't already know about the facts of his life.

But fans will come away with a better sense of the strange inner workings of Chapman, who died of throat cancer in 1989 but is reunited with Cleese and most of his Python mates in the voice cast of *A Liar's Autobiography*, which has a limited U.S. theatrical run starting Friday and has its television premiere the same day on Epix.

Ex-Python member Terry Jones thinks Chapman would have loved the cryptic mish-mash of observations, self-analysis, bizarre asides, flights of fancy and revisionist personal history that make up the film.

"What an odd person he was," Jones fondly recollects at September's Toronto International Film Festival in an interview alongside son Bill Jones, who co-directed *A Liar's Autobiography* with Ben Timlett and Jeff Simpson.

Fourteen companies crafted the visuals in 17 different animation styles, presented in 3D and leaping from such vignettes as a procrastinator's writing holiday with Cleese in Spain and a recreation of a skit with Chapman as Oscar Wilde, to a sedate moment drinking spiked tea with the Queen Mother and a rousing production of the Python tune *Sit on My Face*.

Chapman studied at Cambridge, where he became a doctor and met Cleese. Cleese became his writing partner and closest colleague among the Python troupe, which included fellow Brits Jones, Michael Palin and Eric Idle, and American animator Terry Gilliam.

Joining the Cambridge Footlights performing group, Chapman gradually veered away from medicine, joining Cleese as a writer on David Frost's BBC show *The Frost Report* and eventually co-starring in the groundbreaking sketch comedy show *Monty Python's*

Flying Circus, which premiered in 1969. The other Pythons had signature bits and skits — Cleese with his Ministry of Silly Walks, Palin with his lumberjack song, Jones with his menu of endless Spam variations, Idle with his nudge-nudge, wink-wink routine — and Gilliam distinguished himself with his surreal animation.

Chapman revelled in shrill cross-dressing characters, but often tended toward self-serious straightmen roles, much as he did with the leads in the troupe's biggest film comedies, as King Arthur in *Monty Python and the Holy Grail* and the title role in *The Life of Brian*.

Jones recalls the first time he saw Chapman perform in London, an odd duck playing alongside Cleese and fellow British comedian Bill Oddie.

"I couldn't take my eyes off Graham, because he looked like he'd just walked on off the street, and what was he doing on stage?" Jones said. "John Cleese and Bill Oddie were being funny on stage. Graham was not being funny. He was being serious, and that's why I think he worked so well as King Arthur and Brian. Because John wanted to do Brian, wanted to play Brian, and we persuaded him out of it. Because Graham

sorts with their dead colleague.

The film includes video of Cleese's notorious eulogy for Chapman, in which he lovingly bid good riddance to the "free-loading bastard."

"Graham would have been very cross if John hadn't said that about him," Jones said.

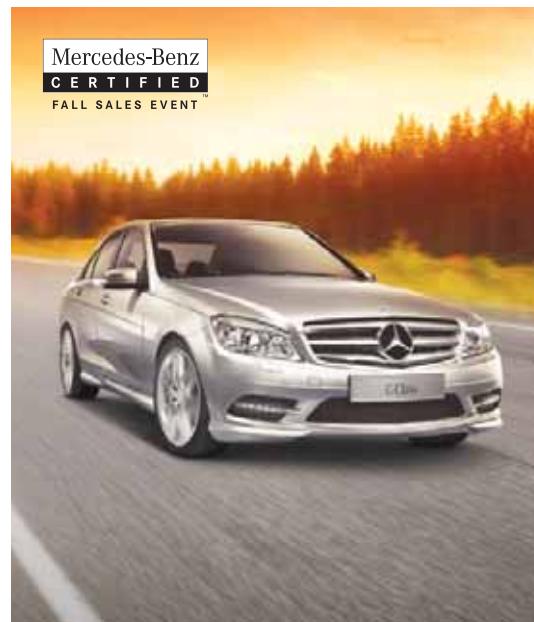
Jones added on *A Liar's Autobiography*: "It's just an appreciation of his twisted humour. Not understanding who the man is or finding out any facts about the man's life, but getting a sense of him and getting at his feelings."

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From left, Graham Chapman, John Cleese, Eric Idle and Terry Jones, acting out a stage version of Oscar Wilde in a scene from *A Liar's Autobiography*.

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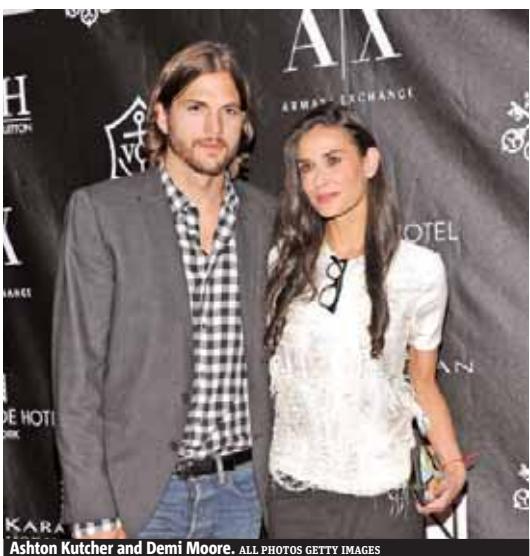
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Ashton Kutcher and Demi Moore. ALL PHOTOS GETTY IMAGES

## Kutcher, Moore remain separated but not divorced

It's been a year since Ashton Kutcher and Demi Moore separated, but apparently they've made no moves toward actually getting a divorce, according to TMZ.

While several reports have suggested squabbling

over how to divide assets between the stars, the website reports that in fact there have been no discussions on the topic, argumentative or otherwise.

Kutcher and Moore were married for six years before separating.



Jamie Bell

## Bell finally ties the knot with Wood

It looks like those wedding rings Evan Rachel Wood and Jamie Bell were spotted wearing were for real, as the pair has tied the knot, a rep for Wood tells Us Weekly. The small ceremony took place in

California on Tuesday, with Wood wearing a gown by Carolina Herrera.

"I am so happy for Evan. She is a timeless beauty and her gown in Chantilly lace captures this perfectly," Herrera says.

# METRO DISH

OUR TAKE ON THE WORLD OF CELEBRITIES

### The Word



### Ben Affleck forced to pass up prime gigs

Ben Affleck has learned the hard way that finding a balance between working and home life means turning down some interesting gigs — like directing episodes of Homeland, the critically acclaimed spy drama.

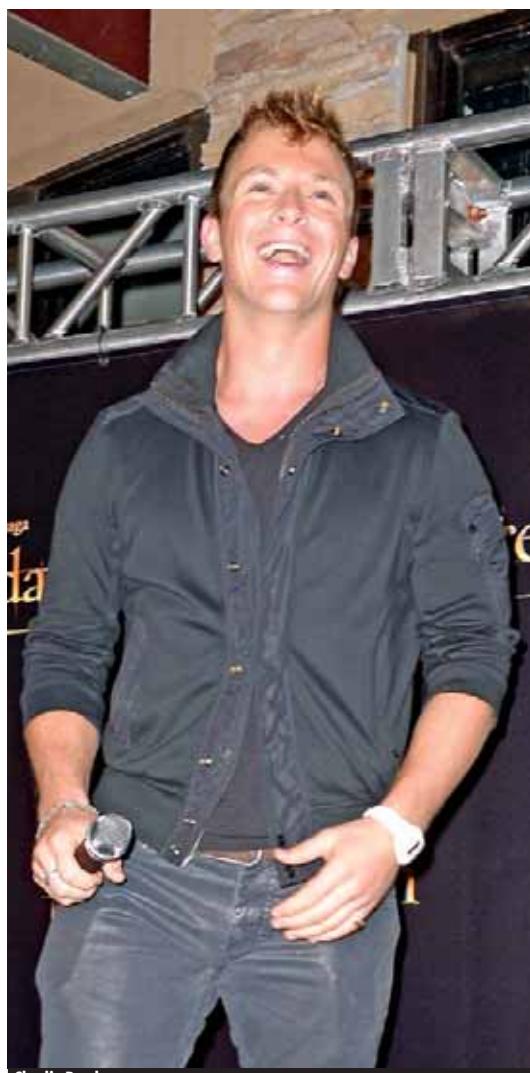
While giving a speech at the Artios Awards in L.A. recently, Affleck admitted

wife Jennifer Garner kept him from taking the job.

"I liked the show. I signed on. The guys were ready. I don't want to blame her, but my wife and I gave an agreement where when she works, I don't work and when I work, she doesn't work," he explains.

"She said, 'I have this movie, it's 10 weeks, it's in Atlanta.' I said, 'OK, forget it. I'm sure nothing will happen with it anyway.'

The series went on to win several Emmy Awards, including best drama series.



Charlie Bewley

### Twilight co-star relates to Stewart's infidelity

Robert Pattinson seems to have forgiven Kristen Stewart for her infidelity scandal over the summer — and so have some of her other Twilight co-stars.

"Honestly, I used to cheat so much it would be very hypocritical of me to

pass judgment on Kristen," says Charlie Bewley, who plays Vulturi vampire Demetri in the last installment of the successful franchise. "I know what it's like to have an inflated libido. Probably why I'm not in a relationship right now."

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## Down Under sipping



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As you read this, I'm on enjoying some Down Under hospitality in Southern Australia.

The Aussies took the wine world by storm back in the late 1980s, catching the likes of France, Italy and Germany totally off guard. Giving grape variety names top billing on their labels, the wine wizards of Oz became industry darlings almost overnight.

Things have changed a lot since then. For awhile, it seemed like every vineyard in the country was trying to make the same wine.

Today's Australia is, for the most part, a different place. Smaller, family-owned wineries have taken up residence next to industry giants like Wolf Blass and Yellow Tail at your local liquor store — offering different personalities to offset the now diminishing glut of "taste the same" brands.

One new face of Australia I just visited was Shingleback, in the McLaren Vale not far from South Australia's capital, Adelaide. The Shingleback 2011 Red Knot Cabernet Sauvignon is a ripe mouthful of wine with lots of up-front blackberry fruit and complexity that reminds me of what the best Aussies of the '80s were producing. Try it with a plate of something big and beefy. **PRICES REFLECT THE RANGE ACROSS THE COUNTRY. SOME PRODUCTS MAY NOT BE AVAILABLE IN ALL PROVINCES.**

# Serious sandwich lovers, bite into this

### National Sandwich Day is on Saturday.

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Whether you eat it on a croissant, between two slices of whole wheat bread with the crust cut off or on gluten-free buns, this is the weekend to make yourself a delicious

#### Ingredients

- 2 tbsp pesto
- 2 tbsp light mayonnaise
- 1/3 cup light ricotta (5%)
- 3 tbsp light cream cheese, softened
- 1/3 cup crumbled goat cheese (about 1 1/2 oz)
- 1 whole Italian round loaf of bread
- 8 oz skinless boneless chicken breasts (about 2 breasts), pounded flat
- 1 roasted red pepper, sliced
- 2 cups shredded romaine lettuce
- 2 medium plum tomatoes, sliced and seeded
- 1/3 cup diced red onion
- 1/3 cup chopped black olives
- pinch of salt and pepper



This recipe serves six. RYAN SZULC, FROM ROSE REISMAN'S FAMILY FAVORITES (WHITECAP BOOKS)

sandwich.

According to Technomic Inc.'s 2010 Canadian Sandwich Consumer Trend Report, 94 per cent of Canadians said they eat at least one sandwich each week.

This week, make it this delicious Italian grilled chicken sandwich with pesto-cheese sauce. I save calories in this sandwich by removing the interior from the loaf of bread and leaving the crust intact. That brings the calorie count to 345 per one sandwich. The filling of chicken with vegetables, pesto-cheese sauce

and shredded lettuce makes this a unique and delicious meal.

1. To make the pesto-cheese sauce, combine the pesto, mayonnaise, ricotta, cream cheese and goat cheese in a food processor and purée until smooth.

2. Cut the loaf of bread in half horizontally and pull out as much of the bread as possible, leaving only the crust.

3. In a non-stick grill pan or

skillet, lightly coated with cooking spray, cook the chicken breast just until no longer pink, about 5 minutes. Cool, then slice thinly.

4. Spread the pesto-cheese sauce over both the bottom and the top half of the loaf. Layer the bottom half with the chicken, roasted red pepper strips, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, olives, salt and pepper. Top with the top half of the loaf and cut into 6 sandwiches.

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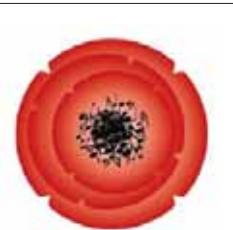


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### Gone country

Edmonton's not just going country — I think we're looong gone. And unlike our sister city to the south that parties this way with its summer rodeo, we get to dust up our cowboy boots in November ... in the snow. Yep, cold or no, the river city round-up offers country-fried fun Nov. 2-11 around town, with Farmfair International and the Canadian Finals Rodeo. But let's start with some free family fun, shall we? The River City Roundup kicks off tomorrow at Sir Winston Churchill Square with live animal demos, kids' crafts and more. Let's dance, urban cowboys.



### Remembrance

While anticipated Remembrance Day ceremonies will happen across our city Nov. 11, The annual Lest We Forget ... A Musical Tribute Concert is a celebration of Canada's armed forces, and it goes Sunday at 7:30 p.m. at the Winspear. The glorious music hall will be filled with music, ceremony and colour as the Cosmopolitan Music Society presents an evening of concert bands, chorus and special guests performing ceremonial military marches and popular war time music. Tickets are \$20 at [tixonthesquare.ca](http://tixonthesquare.ca) or at local Legion branches.



### Woof

Are you a dog person? Be one on Saturday for the all-day Dogapalooza at West Edmonton Mall. Not only will the trade show have all the latest gear for Fido, there will be demos, races, agility displays, fashion shows and a look-alike contest. You can arrange a pet portrait, or — bonus — get your pooh microchipped and his nails clipped too. A kid zone will keep your two-legged little ones occupied while you cater to the furry family member. Event goes 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the WEM Ice Palace level. See [dogapalooza.ca](http://dogapalooza.ca) for complete list of exhibitors and events.



### Do or die

It's the last chance for football survival at Commonwealth Stadium tonight, as the Edmonton Eskimos battle provincial rivals Calgary Stampeders for the last time in regular season play. We need the win to advance, so wrap up in your woolies and cheer on the green and gold with gusto to keep warm. While other sports are indefinitely iced, these guys are working hard on the field, so let's show 'em some love. Plus, it's fan appreciation night, so go, freeze your bum to the seat if you have to, but go. [Esk.com](http://esks.com) has all the details.



### Forbidden love

Workshop West Theatre and Alberta Aboriginal Arts presents a controversial but much anticipated play about love, sexuality and culture, now through Nov. 11 at the Catalyst Theatre. Agokwe (meaning wise woman, or two-spirited), tells the story of gay love on the rez — a pow-wow dancer and hockey player who meet and confess their desires for each other. The play addresses bullying, homophobia, unrequited love, social isolation and the lost traditions of the Anishnaabe. This show has received accolades wherever it plays, so don't miss it. Call 780-477-5955 for tickets.



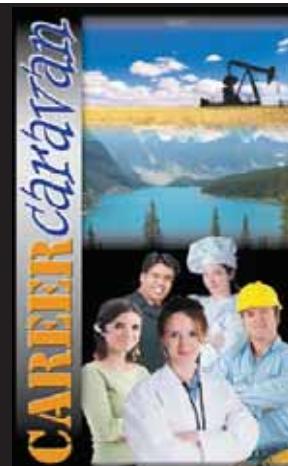
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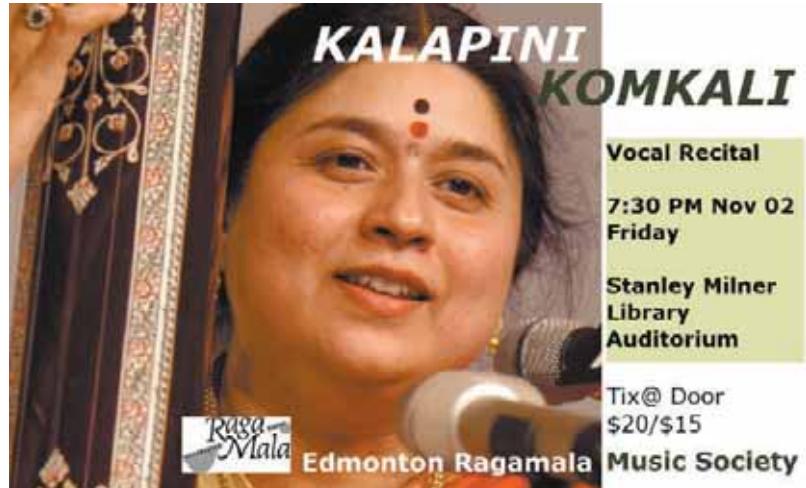
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# Argos knock Ticats out of playoff contention

**CFL** Eskimos guaranteed a playoff berth thanks to Hamilton's loss

Chad Owens broke the CFL's single-season all-purpose yards record but it was Swayze Waters' 51-yard field goal on the game's final play that earned the short-handed Toronto Argonauts a wild 43-40 win over Hamilton on Thursday night and eliminated the Tiger-Cats from playoff contention.

Toronto (9-9) rested 10 starters — including quarterback Ricky Ray — and linebacker Brandon Isaac served a one-game suspension for an illegal hit last weekend against Saskatchewan's Darian Durant.

But that didn't deter the Argo subs, who took control early by surging to a stunning 20-3 first-quarter advantage before rallying before a season-best Rogers Centre gathering of 27,283 on Fan Appreciation Night.

The Ticats (6-12) played all of their regulars, and with good reason: They desperately needed the win to keep their slim playoff hopes alive. But Ham-

ilton continually shot itself in the foot against the Argos' B-team — which played veteran Jarious Jackson and rookies Trevor Harris and Zach Collaros at quarterback in the contest, with Collaros's 13-yard TD pass to Sammy Tranks putting the home team ahead 37-26 at 3:38 of the fourth.

Burris pulled Hamilton to within 40-33 with 2:47 remaining with a three-yard TD strike to Avon Cobourne. After two incompletions that took just 26 seconds by Collaros, the Ticats got the ball at the Toronto 39-yard line following a 35-yard punt return by Chris Williams with 2:15 to play.

Burris and Williams then hooked up on a five-yard touchdown pass — Burris's fourth of the night, giving him a career-high 43 this season — that tied the score 40-40 with 1:10 remaining. B

But Collaros took over at the Toronto 42 with a minute remaining and marched the Argos to the Hamilton 44 to set up Waters' winning boot.

Hamilton ends the season as the CFL's worst road team with a 1-8 record and after a 3-2 start to the season went a dismal 3-10 the rest of the way.

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## Playoff scenarios

As a result of the Toronto win, Edmonton clinches a playoff berth.

- If the Eskimos can beat Calgary on Friday night and B.C. downs Saskatchewan on Saturday, the Esks will get third in the West and face Calgary in the conference semifinal Nov. 11.

- Saskatchewan would cross over into the East Division and travel to Toronto on Nov. 11.

- Should the Eskimos lose to Calgary or Saskatchewan defeat B.C., Saskatchewan would get third in the West and Edmonton would cross over.



Toronto Argonauts kicker Swayze Waters leaps into the arms of quarterback Trevor Harris after kicking the game-winning field goal against the Hamilton Tiger-Cats in Toronto on Thursday. FRANK GUNN/THE CANADIAN PRESS

# Raonic's strong season ends with a loss in Paris

Milos Raonic closed out his 2012 tennis season Thursday by dropping a 6-3, 7-6 (1) decision to American Sam Querrey at the Paris Masters.

The hard-serving No. 14 seed from Thornhill, Ont., had 10 aces on the day but the American countered with an even dozen, wrapping up the match in 71 minutes.

Querrey was brimming with confidence after defeating top-ranked Novak Djokovic a day earlier. The loss also ended Raonic's faint bid to reach next week's

eight-man World Tour Finals season wrap-up in London.

"I'm sick at the moment. I don't have fever but I'm struggling with sinuses," he said.

Raonic has now lost twice this season to Querrey, who eliminated him from Wimbledon in the second round.

The Canadian won titles in Chennai and San Jose this season and finished the campaign with a 45-20 record. He also reached finals in Memphis and last month in Tokyo. THE CANADIAN PRESS



Milos Raonic in action on Wednesday at the Paris Masters.  
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## New York Marathon

### Mayor defends holding race

New York City Mayor Michael Bloomberg said Sunday's marathon won't divert resources from victims of Superstorm Sandy's devastation.

Bloomberg responded to criticism of his decision to hold the race at a news briefing Thursday. He noted that electricity is expected to be back on in downtown Manhattan by Sunday, freeing up an "enormous number of police."

Bloomberg said "this city is a city where we have to go on."

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## NFL

### Chargers end scoring drought

Antonio Gates caught a 14-yard yard scoring pass from Philip Rivers on the game's opening drive to snap a streak of six straight quarters without a touchdown and the San Diego Chargers went on to a 31-13 victory over the staggering Kansas City Chiefs on Thursday night.

The Chiefs, who lost their fifth straight, committed four more turnovers to run their NFL-high mark to a staggering 29, which have led to 104 points.

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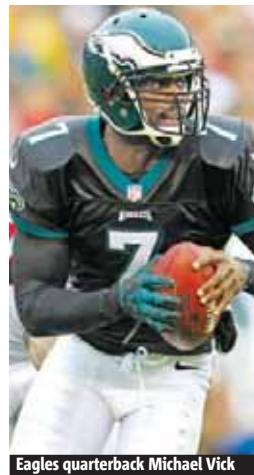
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NFL. Vick  
was always  
Eagles' guy,  
Reid says



Eagles quarterback Michael Vick  
GETTY IMAGES

Michael Vick remains the Philadelphia Eagles quarterback, for now ... and for the future.

Coach Andy Reid said Thursday he never considered benching Vick, he just wanted to step back and evaluate the beleaguered veteran.

Reid threw his full support behind Vick after practice and was ready to move forward with him as the starter for Monday's game at New Orleans (2-5). Rookie Nick Foles, a pre-season star, remains the backup.

"Michael was the quarterback, is the quarterback and will continue to be the quarterback for the Philadelphia Eagles," Reid said.

Vick, a four-time Pro Bowl player, has struggled this season and Philadelphia (3-4) has lost three straight games.

Reid didn't endorse Vick after Sunday's 30-17 loss to Atlanta, only that he would evaluate all his starters. Vick then said he would support whatever decision Reid makes.

After Thursday's practice, Reid said he thought Vick played one of his best games of the season against the Falcons. Vick was a pedestrian 21 of 35 for 191 yards and a touchdown. Vick had a rare turnover-free performance, though, after throwing eight interceptions and losing five fumbles in the first six games.

Vick said "it wasn't news" that he remained the starter because Reid never told him his job was in jeopardy. And he said he believed he's still one of the best players in the NFL, even if the numbers and record prove otherwise.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

# Will change do Bombers good?

Final season at Canad Inns took swagger out of Winnipeg club; Stampeders quarterback spot no longer up for grabs; Tillman's trade taking its toll

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Trading places:  
Bombers leave  
old barn

As this dismal season winds down for the Bombers, one has to hope their demons will be exorcised with the demolition of Canad Inns Stadium. While it has housed many great Bombers teams since the 1950s, no club is more in need of a change of scenery than the Blue and Gold.



Pivotal chance  
for Als backup

With first place locked up, the Als will start backup QB Adrian McPherson to close out the regular season in Winnipeg on Saturday. McPherson completed only two of five passes this season, but if the 29-year-old wants to one day assume 40-year-old Anthony Calvillo's starting job, he had better start showing his potential. No better time to start than this weekend.



It's Glenn's team  
from here on in

Stamps QB Drew Tate looked fine in his return from shoulder surgery last week, but this is now Kevin Glenn's team. The veteran QB saved the Stamps' season, passed for more than 4,000 yards, and piloted the CFL's most complete offence into a home playoff date Nov. 11.



Lions should  
bring best vs.  
Saskatchewan

The Lions remain the CFL's top team heading into the final week of the season, despite the beat-down in Cowtown last week. No team wants to limp into the playoffs, so expect a more complete effort in their regular-season wrap-up against the Riders.



Full marks for  
Riders in 2012

No matter where the Riders finish this season, the year has been a success under first-year head coach Corey Chamblin. The Riders need a win in Vancouver to finish above .500, but coming off a 5-13 campaign in 2011, a return to the playoffs is an achievement no matter what happens in November.



Verdict in on  
Ray trade

Esk GM Eric Tillman wanted us to wait until November to assess his Ricky Ray-for-Steve Jyles trade, providing everyone a full season to evaluate whether his young QB deserves the starting role in Edmonton. Well, Mr. Tillman, it's now November, and Jyles is hardly a factor anymore.... Your trade SUCKS.



## SOCER

### MLS

#### WILD CARDS

##### Thursday's result

Vancouver at Los Angeles

##### Wednesday's result

Houston 2, Chicago 1 (Houston Advances)

## SPAIN

### COPA DEL REY

##### Thursday's results

Eibar 0, Athletic Bilbao 0

Valladolid 1, Real Betis 0

Melilla 1, Levante 0

Sporting Gijon 1, Osasuna 0

Cordoba 2, Real Sociedad 0

Sevilla 3, Espanyol 1

Ponferradina 0, Getafe 4

Deportivo La Coruna 1, Mallorca 1

## ITALY

### SERIE A

##### Thursday's result

Genoa 0, Fiorentina 1

## SWEDEN

### ALLSVENSKANLIGA

##### Thursday's results

GAIS Gothenburg 2, Gefle IF 3

Mjallby AIF 2, IF Elfsborg 3

BK Hacken 1, AIK 1

Malmö 1, Orebro SK 1

## GOLF

### WORLD GOLF CHAMPIONSHIPS

### HSBC CHAMPIONS

##### At Shenzhen, China

##### Par 72

##### First round

Louis Oosthuizen, South Africa 32-33-65

Adam Scott, Australia 31-34-65

Phil Mickelson, United States 33-33-66

Bubba Watson, United States 32-34-66

Peter Hanson, Sweden 33-33-66

Shane Lowry, Ireland 32-34-66

Dustin Johnson, United States 34-33-67

Prom Meesawat, Thailand 35-32-67

Ik-Jae Jang, South Korea 34-34-68

Scott Piercy, United States 33-35-68

Wu Ashu, China 33-35-68

Thomas Aiken, South Africa 35-33-68

Martin Kaymer, Germany 34-34-68

Jason Dufner, United States 33-35-68

Ian Poulter, England 35-34-69

Paul Lawrie, Scotland 33-36-69

Bill Haas, United States 33-36-69

Lee Westwood, England 33-37-70

Ernie Els, South Africa 35-35-70

Garth Mulroney, South Africa 33-37-70

Thongchai Jaidee, Thailand 35-35-70

Yuta Ikeda, Japan 35-35-70

Carl Pettersson, Sweden 36-34-70

Scott Hend, Australia 36-34-70

Also Graeme McDowell, N.Ireland 38-33-71

Keegan Bradley, United States 35-36-71

Justin Rose, England 35-37-72

Nick Watney, United States 37-35-72

## TENNIS

### WTA

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At Sofia, Bulgaria

Round Robin

##### Singles

Serdika Group

Caroline Wozniacki (1), Denmark, def. Daniela Hantuchova (7), Slovakia, 3-6, 7-6 (4), 6-4.

Roberta Vinci (4), Italy, def. Hsieh Su-Wei (5), Taiwan, 6-1, 6-2.

**Standings:** Wozniacki 3-0 (sets 6-1); Vinci 2-1 (4-2); Hantuchova 0-2 (1-4); Hsieh Su-Wei 0-2 (0-4).

Sredets Group

Nadia Petrova (2), Russia, def. Maria Kirilenko (3), Russia, 3-6, 7-6 (4), 6-3.

**Standings:** Petrova 2-0 (4-1); Kirilenko 1-1 (3-2); Pironkova 1-1 (2-3); Jie 0-2 (1-4).

## ATP

### WORLD TOUR BNP PARIBAS MASTERS

At Paris

##### Singles

Third Round

Tomas Berdych (5), Czech Republic, def. Kevin Anderson, South Africa, 1-6, 6-3, 6-4.

Jerzy Janowicz, Poland, def. Andy Murray (3), Britain, 5-7, 7-6 (4), 6-2.

Janko Tipsarevic (8), Serbia, def. Juan Monaco (9), Argentina, 6-3, 3-6, 6-3.

Michael Llodra, France, def. Juan Martin Del Porto (7), Argentina, 6-4, 6-3.

Sam Querrey, United States, def. Milos Raonic (14), Canada, 6-3, 7-6 (1).

Jo-Wilfried Tsonga (6), France, def. Nicolas Almagro (11), Spain, 7-6 (4), 7-6 (3).

Gilles Simon, France, def. Kei Nishikori (15), Japan, walkover.

David Ferrer (4), Spain, def. Stanislas Wawrinka (16), Switzerland, 6-2, 4-6, 6-2.

##### Doubles

Second Round

Paul Hanley, Australia, and Jonathan Marray, Britain, def. Bob Bryan and Mike Bryan (1), United States, 6-4, 6-7 (2), 10-5 tiebreak.

Alexander Peya, Austria, and Bruno Soares (8), Brazil, def. Santiago Gonzalez, Mexico, and Scott Lipsky, United States, 6-4, 3-6, 10-5 tiebreak.

Aisam-Ul-Haq Qureshi, Pakistan, and Jean-Julien Rojer, Netherlands, def. Feliciano Lopez, Spain, and Nenad Zimonjic, Serbia, 6-4, 6-7 (3), 17-15 tiebreak.

Mahesh Bhupathi and Rohan Bopanna (5), India, def. Julien Benneteau and Adrian Mannarino, France, 6-0, 6-4.

Josselin Ouanna and Nicolas Renavand, France, def. Jurgen Melzer, Austria, and Leander Paes (6), India, 7-6 (5), 6-4.

## AHL

### EASTERN CONFERENCE

#### ATLANTIC DIVISION

	GP	W	L	OTL	SOL	GF	GA	Pt
Manchester	6	5	1	0	0	23	11	10
St. John's	8	4	4	0	0	21	26	8
Portland	7	3	3	1	0	31	29	7
Worcester	7	2	4	0	1	20	27	5
Providence	6	2	4	0	0	13	20	4

#### NORTHEAST DIVISION

	GP	W	L	OTL	SOL	GF	GA	Pt
Springfield	7	5	1	0	1	21	12	11
Bridgeport	6	4	2	0	0	19	20	8
Connecticut	7	3	3	1	0	27	26	7
Adirondack	7	3	4	0	0	18	26	6
Albany	6	2	4	0	0	14	24	4

#### EAST DIVISION

	GP	W	L	OTL	SOL	GF	GA	Pt
Norfolk	6	5	1	0	0	23	15	10
Syracuse	7	4	1	1	25	25	10	10
Binghamton	7	3	3	1	0	16	20	7
Hershey	7	3	3	1	0	21	21	7
Texas	7	3	4	0	0	15	23	6
W-B/Scranton	7	2	5	0	0	17	20	4

#### WEST DIVISION

	GP	W	L	OTL	SOL	GF	GA	Pt
Peoria	6	5	2	1	0	31	29	11
Abbotsford	7	4	1	0	2	25	16	10
Lake Erie	9	6	3	0	1	31	22	12
Hamilton	6	3	2	1	0	15	18	7
Toronto	6	3	2	0	1	17	17	7

#### MIDWEST DIVISION

	GP	W	L	OTL	SOL	GF	GA	Pt
Chicago	8	5	2	1	0	21	22	11
Rockford	8	4	3	0	1	21	21	11
Milwaukee	7	3	4	0	0	17	22	6
Grand Rapids	7	2	3	1	1	24	28	6
Peoria	8	2	4	0	1	13	28	6

#### SOUTH DIVISION

	GP	W	L	OTL	SOL	GF	GA	Pt
Charlotte	9	6	2	0	1	36	23	13
Houston	7	4	2	1	0	27	19	9
Oklahoma City	7	4	3	1	0	24	22	8
Texas	7	3	4	0	0	15	23	6
Antonio	7	2	4	0	1	14	20	5

#### TRANSACTIONS

## MLB

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

DETROIT TIGERS—Named Bruce Fields minor league hitting co-ordinator.

KANSAS CITY ROYALS—Promoted Mike Groopman to director of baseball analytics and John Williams to assistant director of baseball analytics.

MINNESOTA TWINS—Named Brad Steil director of minor league operations, Dave Pruemer athletic trainer, Tony Leo assistant athletic trainer and Lanning Tucker assistant athletic trainer and rehabilitation co-ordinator.

NEW YORK YANKEES—Activated LHP Cesar Cabral, RHP Michael Pineda and RHP Charlie Morton from the 60-day DL.

TAMPA BAY RAYS—Named Don Zimmer senior advisor for the 2013 season.

TEXAS RANGERS—Moved first-base coach Gary Perris to third and third-base coach Dave Anderson from first.

PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES—Exercised the 2013 option on C Carlos Ruiz. Declined the 2013 options on INF Ty Wigginton and RHP Jose Contreras. Bought out the contract of 3B Placido Polanco. Named Dave Brundage manager for Lehigh (IL).

PITTSBURGH PIRATES—Activated RHP Charlie Morton from the 60-day DL.

SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS—Declined to exercise their 2013 option on INF OF Aubrey Huff.

ARIZONA DIAMONDBACKS—Declined their 2013 options on the contracts of C Henry Blanco and RHP Matt Lindstrom.

ATLANTA BRAVES—Declined the 2013 option on 3B Chipper Jones. Claimed OF Jordan Schafer off waivers from Houston. Assigned RHP Erik Cordier and LHP Robert Fister outright to Gwinnett (IL). Announced RHP Jose Quintana from Gwinnett (IL). Declined the 2013 option on OF Jordan Schafer.

DETROIT TIGERS—Acquired CB Aqib Talib and a 2013 seventh-round draft pick from Tampa Bay for a 2013 fourth-round draft pick.

CHICAGO CUBS—Named Anthony Iapoco special assistant to the general manager/player development.

COLORADO ROCKIES—Announced LHP Jorge De La Rosa has exercised his player option for 2013.

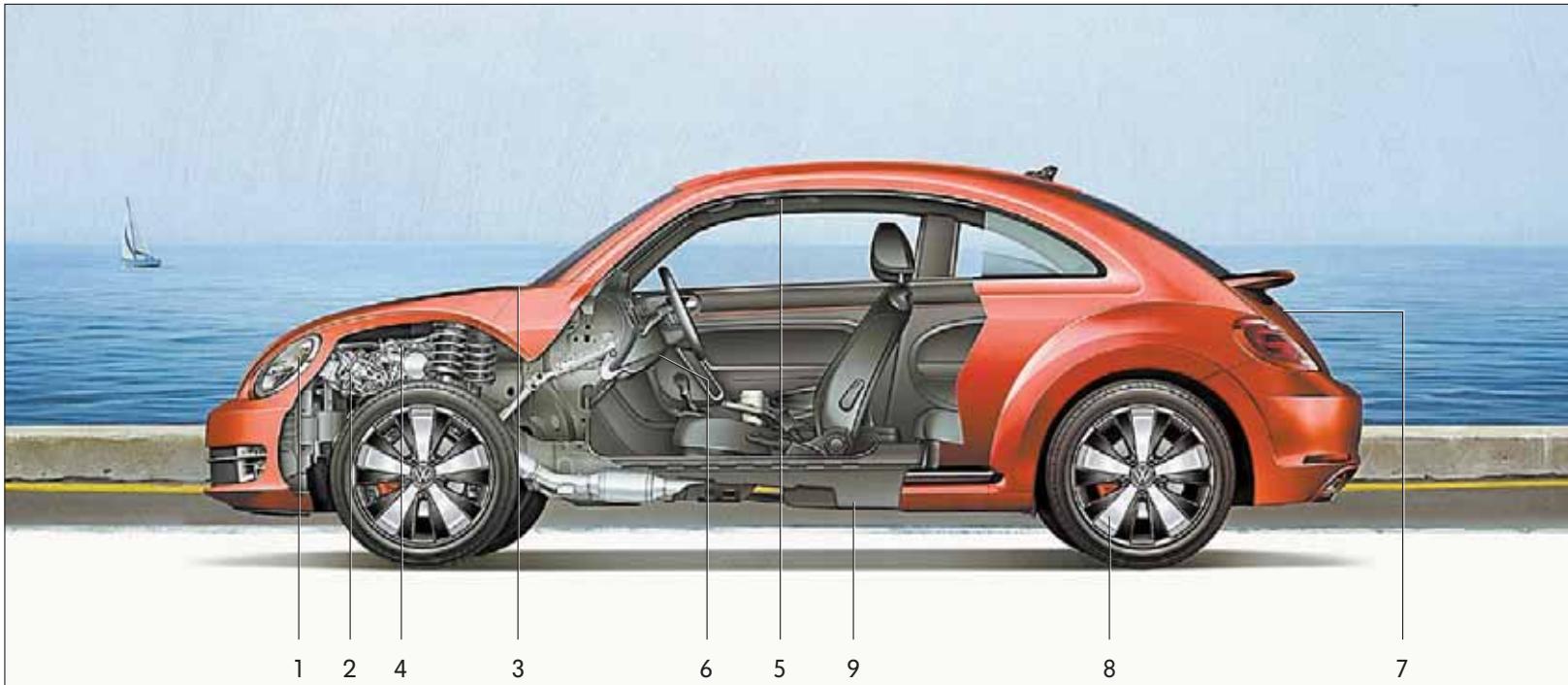
WINNIPEG BLUE BOMBERS—Named interim coach Tim Burke coach.

## NFL

### EASTERN CONFERENCE

#### NORTH DIVISION

	GP	W	L	OTL	SOL	GF	GA	Pt
Rochester	8	5	2	1	0	33	29	11
Abbotsford	7	4	3</					



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## THE BEETLE

We've hidden the missing parts in today's paper. Can you find them all?

1 – Bi-Xenon headlights with AFS

4 – \_\_\_\_\_

7 – \_\_\_\_\_

2 – 2.0 TSI 200-horsepower engine

5 – Available power sunroof

8 – 18" alloy wheels

3 – \_\_\_\_\_

6 – \_\_\_\_\_

9 – \_\_\_\_\_



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Answers: 3 – invisible wipers, 4 – Yaw Rate Sensor, 6 – LEDs, 7 – Passenger side gas cap, 9 – Underbody shield

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2. WOLFSBURG
3. GERMAN
4. ENGINEERING
5. AFFORDABLE
6. YAW RATE SENSOR
7. LED LIGHTS
8. TOUAREG
9. PASSAT
10. JETTA
11. GOLF
12. TIGUAN
13. BEETLE
14. CLEAN DIESEL
15. UNDERBODY
16. AUTO DEFOGGING
17. LASER SEAM
18. WELDING
19. WINDSHIELD
20. WIPERS
21. QUIET CABIN
22. INNOVATIVE
23. FUN
24. EXCITING
25. LEADER
26. SAFETY

**Horoscopes**

**♈ Aries**

**March 21 - April 20**

Travel plans and social events may be disrupted today but that may not be a bad thing. You seem to be torn in which direction you should be moving, but do you really have to move anywhere?

**♉ Taurus**

**April 21 - May 21**

Common sense could fly out the window under the influence of the moon's eclipse of Jupiter and you could easily find yourself out of pocket by the end of the day. Think before you act — and don't be so wasteful.

**♊ Gemini**

**May 22 - June 21**

Others may say you are being too cautious and maybe you are but if your instincts tell you to think more and act less, you must listen. Jupiter may be in your sign but you don't have to take risks.

**♋ Cancer**

**June 22 - July 23**

Try not to let your anxieties get the better of you. You are sure to be worried about something today but that does not mean you cannot control your fears. Focus on the positives and pretend the negatives don't exist.

**♌ Leo**

**July 24 - Aug. 23**

Today's cosmic events will get your pulse racing but you must not take foolish risks, especially where friendships are concerned. Think before you act and, if you do make a mistake, correct it right away.

**♍ Virgo**

**Aug. 24 - Sept. 23**

Keep things simple and don't overreact. That applies to all areas of your life because if things get out of hand in one place they will get out of hand all over. Tread especially carefully when dealing with your employer.

**♎ Libra**

**Sept. 24 - Oct. 23**

Today's moon-Jupiter link will encourage you to open your mouth when you should probably keep it closed. You are entitled to your opinions, of course, but it would help tremendously if they were backed up by facts.

**♏ Scorpio**

**Oct. 24 - Nov. 22**

You may find it hard to keep what you know to yourself today. You are bursting to let everyone know, which is not like you at all. Your rivals could easily find ways to profit from what you tell them.

**♐ Sagittarius**

**Nov. 23 - Dec. 21**

Your emotions seem to be all over the place at the moment, but that's better than holding it all in and pretending you have no feelings at all. Let partners and loved ones know why you are so wound up.

**♑ Capricorn**

**Dec. 22 - Jan. 20**

Take life as it comes over the next 24 hours and don't take anything or anyone (including yourself) too seriously. Look at it this way: Ten years from now who is going to know or care?

**♒ Aquarius**

**Jan. 21 - Feb. 19**

Some kind of success or breakthrough is likely today or over the weekend, most likely on the work front. What have you done to deserve so much fortune? Who knows? Who cares! Just enjoy it while you can.

**♓ Pisces**

**Feb. 20 - March 20**

Don't allow yourself to feel guilty about what happens to other people. You are not responsible for their woes and have every right to be happy even though some may be suffering. Smile — and the world will smile with you.

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**Canadian Crossword**

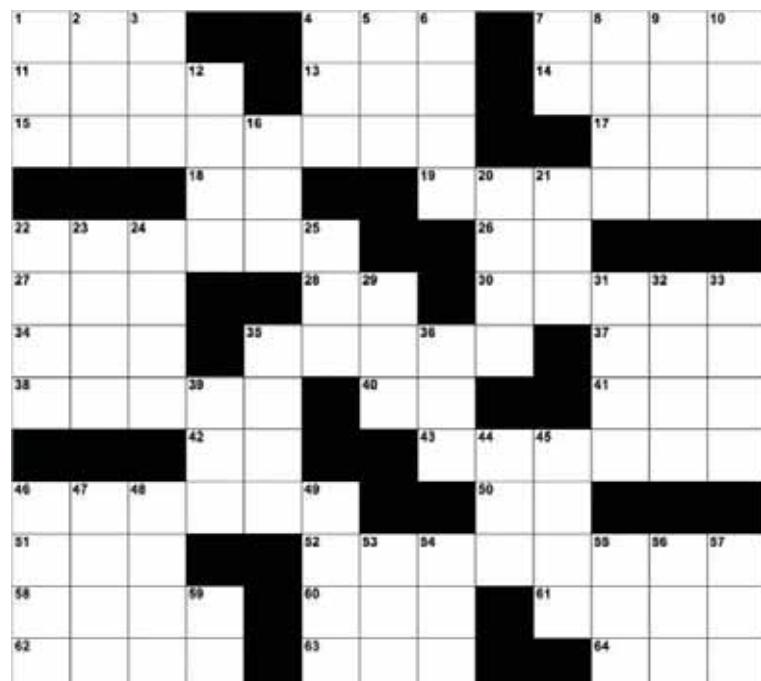
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**Across**

1. Apiece
4. Word heard at an auction
7. July birthstone
11. Affirm
13. A Gershwin
14. On the Pacific Princess
15. Taped previously
17. Nightmare street
18. Commercial
19. Baseball and Golf
22. Night time television selection
26. Ready — Not
27. Fishing apparatus
28. Whose Line Is — Anyway?
30. Courtroom drama
34. American Music Awards (abbr.)
35. Math calculation
37. — Life to Live
38. Office clerks
40. "— Officer and a Gentleman"
41. Countdown number
42. Battery size
43. Canadian capital
46. Trample
50. Model railroad gauge
51. Type of talk
52. Travel destinations
58. Lagers
60. Compass reading (abbr.)
61. Prong
62. Camping necessity
63. Goal
64. Consumed

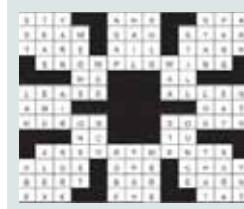
**Down**

1. Golf term
2. Night before
3. Basement room
4. E-Bay requirement
5. Anger
6. Moms and —
7. Egyptian Sun God
8. Consumer



9. Holds up pants
10. Sweet potatoes
12. Stray
16. Star of Stargate: SG-1 (init.)
20. Kitchen utensils
21. Hockey great
22. Mild curse
23. Italian capital
24. Actor Sandler
25. "To —, With Love"
29. Mid afternoon social
31. Small amount
32. Afresh
33. Singer/actress Horne
35. P.D.Q.
36. Year, in Spain
39. Actress Dawber
44. Apex
45. Whistle
46. Tiff
47. Before phone or vision
48. — Mike with Mike Bullard
49. Lucid
53. Country motel
54. Autumn colour
55. Inlet
56. Dynamite
57. Take a look
59. — John's Newfoundland

**Yesterday's Crossword**



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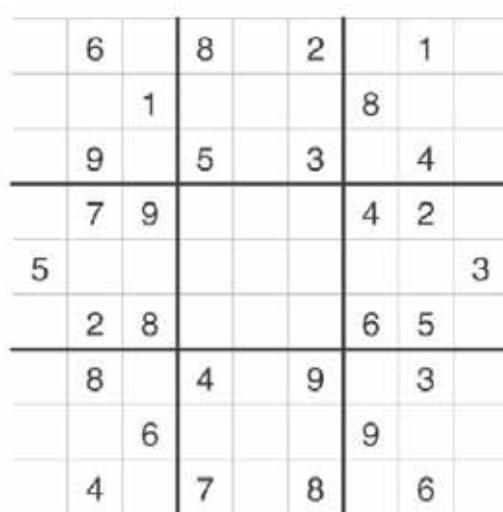
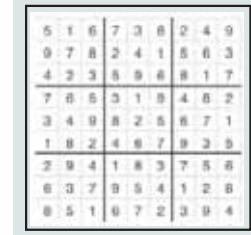
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**How to play**  
Fill in the grid, so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved. You solve the puzzle with reasoning and logic.

**Yesterday's Sudoku**



**Weather**

**TODAY**

**SATURDAY**

**SUNDAY**



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MIN: -7°



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MIN: -1°



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